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Senate Group Favors Rise Of $330 for D.C. Workers

Subcommittee Also Approves Increases For High Executives And Foreign Service

By Jerry Kluttz
Federal Diary Editor

The 7598 classified employes in the District government would each get a flat $330 pay raise, retroactive to last July, in a bill approved yesterday by a three-man subcommittee of the Senate Civil Service Committee. The measure also would:

1. Raise the salaries of the President, Vice President, the Speaker and 222 other top Federal executives, and,

2. Give the State Department's 6000 foreign service employes the $330 retroactive pay raises.

The subcommittee, composed of Senators Flanders (R., Vt.), O'Conor (D., Md.) and Baldwin (R., Conn.), agreed that the legislation should be given an emergency label and enacted into law by January 20. The bill must be passed by that time to give the President a pay raise during his new term of office.

The President, whose salary hasn't been touched since 1909, would be given an increase of $25,000, from $75,000 to $100,000. Also, he would be given an additional $50,000 expense account which he wouldn't need to account for. This would be in addition to the present maximum allowance of $40,000 which must, and would be continued to be, accounted for in travel and official entertainment. The President would have a total expense allowance of $90,000.

Expenses Heavy

O'Conor explained the President must spend a substantial part of his salary to pay expenses connected with his office. In his testimony before the subcommittee, former President Herbert C. Hoover estimated these unpaid expenses cost him around $30,000 a year.

The salaries of the Vice President and the Speaker would be raised from $20,000 to $30,000, and each would be given a $10,000 expense account which would not be held to account.

Cabinet members would be boosted from $15,000 to $25,000, and the salaries of the remaining 200-odd executives would be increased to one of three new pay brackets—$22,500, $20,000 and $17,500. This was the level of increases proposed to the subcommittee by Budget Director James Webb who expressed the views of the President.

Both Senators Flanders and O'Conor agreed that it was a "matter of simple justice" to give retroactive pay raises to the District and foreign service employes. Neither group was included in the general pay-raise bill approved by Congress in June. No increase has been given Federal executives in years.

May Require New Taxes

When he signed the pay bill into law, the President said the omission of District employes was "unfair," and he demanded that Congress correct it at the earliest possible date. The cost of the District pay raise is estimated at $2,507,340 annually, and it may require new taxes to be enacted to absorb the proposed cost.

If enacted, the maximum for classified employes in the District government would be increased from $10,000 to $10,330, as it is now in the executive branch. No foreign service employes paid more than $10,000 could get the $330 raise. The retroactive date would be the first pay period after June 30.

When the general pay bill was passed, there was a debate over whether Congress intended the foreign service employes to be covered. The Comptroller General ruled they weren't, and only recently the Budget Bureau approved a proposed bill for them.

Flanders said it would be "most unfortunate" if the subcommittee bill is broken up in order to try for quick action on a bill to raise the salaries of only the President, Vice President and the Speaker. It was his opinion, he said, that

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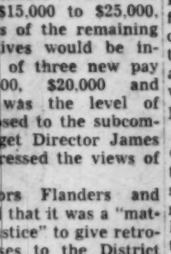
Place Your Want Ad Early For Sunday's Post



To insure getting your want ad into The Sunday Post this week, you are advised to place it as early as possible, preferably today or tomorrow. Because of the Christmas holiday only a minimum staff of want ad writers will be on duty Saturday.

It will still be possible to place your notice Saturday, if necessary. Sunday ads will be accepted at the front counter in The Post Building or by telephone from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Call NAtional 4200.

When the Cane Is Empty . . .

Associated Press Photo

FILL IT UP AGAIN—Senator Alben W. Barkley (D., Ky.) gets a hearty laugh as Bob Hope (right) tries to pour a drink from a hollow—and empty—cane at National Airport yesterday. The Vice President-elect and the comedian were about to board a plane for Germany to spend Christmas with men and women of the Berlin airlift. Said Hope, before he put the gag across: "If this doesn't get a laugh, it's the last prop I'll ever carry." (Story on Page 11)

Before Grand Jury 90 Minutes

Sayre 'Shocked' by State Dept. Data Pilfering; Wants Facts in 'Crime of Infinite Gravity'

Duggan Case Draws Fire Of Democrats

By Robert C. Albright
Post Reporter

Leaders of the House Un-American Activities Committee yesterday came under right and left-wing Democratic fire for their handling of the case of Laurence Duggan, killed Monday in a fall from his New York office window.

1. Two Southern Democratic members of the committee, Representatives F. Edward Hebert (La.) and John E. Rankin (Miss.), criticized the committee disclosure that Duggan's name had been mentioned in secret testimony before the committee. Hebert, in New Orleans, said it was "a blunder and a breach of confidence." Rankin called it "a mistake."

2. In Washington, Americans for Democratic Action, who speak for the New Deal wing of the party, called on the next Speaker, Sam Rayburn (D., Tex.), to use his influence "to end the reckless career of this committee and to insure the protection of personal freedom and dignity in any subsequent investigation of this kind."

Mundt Upholds Action

Representative Karl E. Mundt (R., S. Dak.), acting chairman of the committee, told newsmen he still thought the committee was right in releasing the testimony of Isaac Don Levine, magazine editor. Levine said Chambers told him Duggan was one of six persons who "passed on" confidential State Department information. Chambers later denied he had received any information from Duggan.

"We said when we put it out that we did not imply either guilt or innocence to Duggan," said Mundt. "We released it on the theory that no congressional committee should conceal information that might be helpful to the police in determining the cause of a tragic death."

One Eye on "Headlines"

Informed of Hebert's charges, he said: "I don't want to get into an argument with a guy 2000 miles away about what he would or would not have done if he were called out of bed and required to make a decision as we were."

In his New Orleans statement, Representative Hebert, who previously has opposed the committee's publicity methods, again called for a halt in the committee's practice of doing business "with one eye on today's evidence and the other on tomorrow's headlines."

"The revelation that the name of Laurence Duggan . . . had been

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Ex-Aide 'Convinced' Highly Confidential Papers Were Stolen

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—Former Assistant Secretary of State Francis B. Sayre appeared before the New York grand jury conducting an espionage probe today. Later, speaking to newsmen, he said he was "shocked" by revelations of the pilfering of State Department documents.

"I am perfectly shocked at the revelations that came to light," Sayre asserted. "I am convinced that papers were stolen from the State Department, papers that were highly confidential, and I consider it a crime of infinite gravity.

"I am concerned as much as anyone else in tracking down the truth."

Alger Hiss, who worked under Sayre in 1937 and 1938, has been indicted on charges of perjury as a result of his denial that he furnished State Department documents to Whittaker Chambers, former Communist courier.

Sayre repeated today an earlier statement that he had "implicit faith" in Hiss at the time he left the country August 8 to attend United Nations meetings, and added that he would wait until all the evidence was in before coming to any conclusions.

Miss Anna Belle Newcomb, Sayre's secretary, was on hand, but did not testify. She was asked to return later.

Also at the jury's quarters were two Negroes, Dr. Max Yergan and George Hewitt, who are believed to have testified before a subcommittee of the Un-American Activities Committee here last week.

Yergan, recently ousted by a left-wing group as executive director of the Council on African Affairs, told reporters that in 1946 he appointed a sister-in-law of Hiss as a reporter for the council on United Nations sessions dealing with colonial affairs.

Yergan said he could not remember the woman's name. He said she was appointed on recommendation of Paul Robeson, the singer, who later led the group that ousted Yergan from his post.

Sayre was before the grand jury for 90 minutes. The body later adjourned until January 3.

Hull Praises Duggan as 'Honest' Aide

Former Secretary of State Cordell Hull yesterday voiced his conviction that Laurence Duggan, whose death plunge Monday night in New York still is unexplained, was an "honest" public servant.

He sent a telegram of condolence to the former adviser's wife from his bed in the Bethesda (Md.) Naval Hospital, where he has been a patient for two years. Duggan had served under Hull for some time as director of the State Department Office of American Affairs.

Hull told friends in the State Department that he "spoke highly" of Duggan in the telegram. He said the 43-year-old president of the Institute of International Education was "honest and rendered outstanding public service."

Both Sumner Welles, former Undersecretary of State, and Francis B. Sayre, former Assistant Secretary, already have expressed their confidence in Duggan.

Hull told former associates at the State Department that he "meant every word" of a letter he wrote to his former adviser on July 14, 1944, when Duggan resigned from the department.

In the letter Hull said he regretted Duggan's decision to quit, and added:

"You have been of the greatest assistance to me in building up and maintaining relations of close friendship and confidence with the other American republics. I am most appreciative of your valuable services, and in expressing to you my sincere thanks, I wish to add my best wishes for your future success and happiness."

Hiss Perjury Trial Postponed to Feb. 24

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—The perjury trial of Alger Hiss was postponed today to February 24, a month later than the original trial date.

The 44-year-old former State Department official also will have an extension of time—until January 24—to enter motions on the indictment.

Hiss is free on $500 bond.

'Fell or Jumped,' Says N. Y. Police Investigator

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—New York police today began a "fine-tooth comb" investigation of the 16-story death plunge of Laurence Duggan, one-time State Department expert.

It was launched on orders of Mayor William O'Dwyer, after

See PLUNGE, Page 6, Column 1.

Court of Appeals Ruling

Health Officers Need Warrants To Inspect Private Dwellings

The Municipal Court of Appeals yesterday ruled that health officers do not have the legal right to inspect private dwellings without search warrants.

The appellate court's decision reversed a decision handed down last April by Municipal Court Judge John P. McMahon.

"This new decision will be a step backward for us. If our health inspectors have to wait each time to make an inspection until they get a search warrant, their work will be slowed up considerably," Dr. George Ruhland, District health officer, declared. He said he would ask an immediate legal interpretation of the decision from the corporation counsel's office.

By its decision, the Court of Appeals set aside the conviction of Mrs. Geraldine Little of 1315 10th st. nw., who was fined $25 for forcibly preventing a health officer from making an inspection of her home in September, 1947.

The health inspector had gone to Mrs. Little's house after an occupant complained that loose and uncovered garbage had accumulated in the halls and that some residents did not make use of the toilet facilities, the decision explained.

In April, Judge McMahon refused to grant her a new trial on the charge, when she protested that her constitutional rights had been violated.

Judge McMahon ruled that citizens cannot invoke constitutional rights against illegal search of their dwellings in cases of this kind where public health and safety are involved.

The appellate court ruled, however, that health officers cannot inspect, when challenged, without the usual and ordinary preliminary steps for search. The ruling added, however, that an existing or threat-

See APPEAL, Page 13, Column 3.

ABC Board Clears Grill

Policeman Says Man Charged As Drunk Wasn't Intoxicated

A policeman testified yesterday before the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board that a man he arrested on a drunk charge last month wasn't really intoxicated.

As a result, Churchill's Grill and Bar, 3709 Macomb st. nw., was cleared of three charges of liquor law violations. Two other charges against the grill from another case were dismissed.

Clifford L. Howard, 23, a surveyor, of 40 W. Montgomery ave., Rockville, Md., was arrested in the grill the night of November 13 and charged with being drunk, disorderly conduct and assault.

As a result, the grill was charged with selling whisky to an intoxicated person, permitting an intoxicated person to remain on the premises and permitting disorderly conduct on the premises.

However, when Pvt. Edward A. Raymond of the Eighth Precinct, the policeman who filed the charges against Howard, was called upon to testify yesterday before the ABC board, he refused to say that Howard had been drunk.

Corporation Counsel Robert D. Wise asked Raymond to describe Howard's apparent condition.

"His eyes were glassy," said Raymond. "I would not lock the guy up if he did not act the way he did."

"What I want to know," persisted Wise, "is, was he drunk?"

"His eyes were glassy, but I would not say he was drunk," replied the policeman.

Wise expressed surprise at this testimony and told the board he would have to impeach his own witness for cross-examination. Wise then produced a copy of a written report made by Raymond to his commanding officer, Capt. John Fondahl, the night of the arrest.

Raymond admitted the report was his and at Wise's direction the report was read to the board.

One portion of the report read: "I found him (Howard) standing in the aisle in a drunken condition."

"You prepared this report and you placed a charge of drunkenness against him, and now you tell this board he was not drunk," challenged Wise.

"I placed a charge of drunkenness," said Raymond, "simply because I wanted to make a charge against him."

At this point, F. Joseph Donohue, attorney for the grill, protested there should be a limitation to this line of questioning.

"As prosecutor," Wise said, "it is my duty not only to prosecute, but also to defend if I am convinced at a later date that the charges are not true."

Wise then asked the board to

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Tojo Hanged With 6 Other War Lords

Bodies Cremated 8 Hours Later and Ashes Thrown to Winds in 7 Areas

By Earnest Hoberecht

Tokyo (Thursday), Dec. 23 (U.P.).—Hideki Tojo and six other would-be conquerors of the world were hanged early this morning and their ashes scattered to the winds.

Execution of the seven condemned Japanese war criminals started at one minute after midnight and was concluded 34 minutes later.

The bodies were sped to Yokohama in two American Army trucks convoyed by military police. They were taken to the Yokohama crematorium, where their bodies were put into the flames at 8:10 a. m. By 9:30 a. m. the fire had done its work.

One of the employes of the Yokohama crematorium said:

"We lighted the fire at 8 a. m. to cremate the bodies, which were brought to us in large wooden coffins.

"The ashes were put in small black boxes which look like Japanese lunch boxes."

Scattered in 7 Areas

The ashes were carried away from the crematorium in seven different jeeps and scattered in seven different areas.

Thus the Japanese partners in a conspiracy which left maimed and dead from Pearl Harbor to China and from the Aleutians to Guadalcanal were deprived of any final resting place which might later become a shrine to those advocating similar ruthless militarism.

Tojo, who ordered the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor seven years and 15 days ago, mounted the 13 steps to the hangman's noose in Sugamo prison without aid at half a minute after midnight. Ten minutes later he was declared dead. His last request had been for Japanese food.

Bald, hatchet-faced Tojo, 64, was in a group of four hanged simultaneously. The others were Gen. Kenji Doihara, 65, so-called "Lawrence of Manchuria"; Lieut. Gen. Aikira Muto, 56, responsible for the rape of Manila, and Gen. Iwane Matsui, 70, who directed the rape of Nanking and the murder of 200,000 Chinese in six weeks.

Tojo Second to Succumb

Doihara died first, at 7½ minutes after midnight. Tojo was pronounced dead three minutes later. Muto was declared dead at 11½ minutes after midnight and Matsui at 13 minutes after midnight.

The second group, of three—Gen. Seishiro Itagaki, 63, who starved prisoners in the Dutch East Indies; former Premier Koki Hirota, 70, a leader of the Black Dragon Society which spread terror throughout the Far East, and Gen. Heitaro Kimura, 59, commander of Japanese forces in Burma—entered the death chamber at 12:19 a. m.

The traps were sprung at 12:20 a. m. and within 15 minutes all were dead. Kimura was the last pronounced dead at 12:35 a. m.

No newsmen were permitted inside the prison. Details of the war lords' last days in jail and their final minutes of life were contained in a lengthy statement from Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters, issued hours after the executions took place.

An 11-nation tribunal set up by the Allies condemned Tojo and his six associates to die for conspiring to wage aggressive warfare, for crimes against humanity and for atrocities against civilians and Allied troops.

The 7 were among 28 Japanese

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U. S. Halts New Help To Dutch Indonesia as Token of Displeasure

America Demands Dutch Give Up Areas Gained in New Offensive

Paris, Dec. 22 (AP).—The United States demanded today that the Dutch give up the gains of their new Indonesian offensive.

U. S. Delegate Philip C. Jessup asked the United Nations Security Council to order a cease fire and a withdrawal of troops to the lines they held before the attack, which has swept the Dutch deeply into Republican areas. He also asked that a United Nations Good Offices Committee now in Indonesia fix blame for the fighting.

Dutch delegate Jan H. van Royan replied that the Dutch had taken "police action" against a government undermined by Communism.

"Nothing will deflect us from our course—whatever the cost, whatever the consequence," he declared.

Marshall Aid Halted

The Good Offices Committee earlier today levelled six charges against the Dutch in connection with the conflict, and placed no blame on the Indonesians. The committee said the Dutch broke the Renville Truce and went so far as to serve what looked to the committee like an "ultimatum."

Almost simultaneously with the Security Council proceedings, the United States suspended aid shipments to Indonesia.

Presenting to the Council a resolution stating his demands, Jessup declared in a speech prepared under express instructions from Washington:

"My Government fails to find any justification for renewal of military operations in Indonesia."

He said the United States holds the "considered view" that the renewed fighting in Indonesia "may prove to be a grave threat to international peace."

Colombia and Syria joined the United States in sponsoring the resolution.

Indonesian Assails Dutch

Jessup referred to a previous cease-fire order, declaring: "The simple mass of fact is that the Council's own order of 1 August 1947, has been contravened."

Jessup's appeal followed a bitter attack on the Dutch by L. N. Palar, chief Indonesian delegate. He called the Dutch attack a "second Pearl Harbor."

He said the Dutch were "perfectly willing to negotiate—provided the Republic binds itself first and absolutely to accept Dutch terms."

Van Royan, Dutch Ambassador to Paris, opened the Council's proceedings. He contended the Council lacked jurisdiction because it was an internal conflict and charged that Communists have risen high in the councils of the Indonesian Republic. He said the Dutch action does not threaten world peace.

Dutch Action Outline

He argued that the Republic recently put down one Communist revolt led by Musso, but in doing so accepted help from another Communist group led by Tan Malaka. He accused the Republicans of numerous truce violations.

"If, as is alleged, violations of the truce agreement by the Republic have been so extensive and so persistent over a period of time," Jessup said, "then it seems to me that the Netherlands government should have reported these violations directly to the Security Council before renouncing the truce agreement and resorting to military action by land, sea and air against the Republic."

Jessup said additional information is needed from the Good Offices Committee because its Amer-

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Ominous Lull

China 'Peace' Cabinet Gets Chiang's Nod

Nanking, Dec. 22 (AP).—A new cabinet which may talk peace with the Communists entered China's darkening picture today. On the battlefronts there was an ominous lull.

President Chiang Kai-shek approved the list of cabinet appointees submitted by Premier Sun Fo, who had some difficulty in getting candidates in China's critical hour.

Sun came up with a list of men who he said would "fight on until we can secure an honorable peace." The cabinet includes two former Premiers, Chang Chun and Wong Wen-hao, and Chang Chih-chung, now commander of the northwest headquarters.

Both Chang Chun and Chang Chih-chung have advocated making peace. They are ministers without portfolio. Sun Fo succeeded Wong as Premier.

Sun's remark about an "honorable peace" was interpreted by some as hinting the Government is ready to deal with the Communists. However, a Communist spokesman has said Chiang must go, or no peace. Chiang's approval

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Arlington Man on Plane Forced Down at Tientsin

Capt. Samuel Frankel, Arlington, Va., and two other American military attaches escape by plane from besieged Peiping, but engine trouble forces them to land at Tientsin. **Story on Page 2.**

Republic Officials Elated; Order Does Not Affect Netherlands Itself

By Ferdinand Kuhn, jr.
Post Reporter

The United States yesterday suspended any new Marshall Plan help to the Dutch-held portions of Indonesia.

Paul G. Hoffman, head of the Economic Cooperation Administration, took the step under the powers Congress gave him last spring. He did it with the prior consent and approval of the State Department.

Officially Hoffman said the spending of ECA funds for Indonesia had been held up "pending clarification of the present situation." He not only stressed the economic aspect in a formal statement, but also wrote the Netherlands Ambassador, Eelco van Kleffens, that the action had been "dictated by economic considerations."

Token of U. S. Displeasure

Yet there were signs yesterday that the move was intended in part, at least, as a token of the United States Government's deep displeasure at the Dutch military drive against the Indonesian Republic.

The ECA action came only a few hours before Philip C. Jessup, speaking in Paris, told the United Nations Security Council that the United States "fails to find any justification for renewal of military operations in Indonesia."

Dutch officials at The Hague, quoted by the Associated Press, said the American action would mean a reduction of imports into the Indies and might, in turn, reduce the islands' exports to world markets.

Indonesian Republic officials, on the other hand, were elated. Charles Thomaboe, director of the republic's information office in New York, said the "bold and speedy action" by the United States "is worth a thousand platitudes over the Voice of America."

Communism Seen Aided

Behind the American attitude is a belief that the Dutch have enormously stimulated Communism in southeast Asia, and played into Communist hands all over the world, by launching a military attack against the Republic in Java as a prelude to setting up a semi-independent United States of Indonesia in most of the vast archipelago.

Marshall Plan aid to the Netherlands itself was not affected by the suspension order. As evidence, the ECA yesterday approved another expenditure of $547,000 for animal feed, hides and skins for the Netherlands government.

The suspension involved only about 14 million dollars of the 68 million already earmarked for Indonesia. Most of the 68 million had previously been spent and contracted for. The cut-off order, effective immediately, meant that the United States would not pay for any new contracts out of the 14 million dollars still uncommitted.

Marshall Plan help for Indonesia has consisted mainly of consumer goods intended as incentives to spur the production and export of

See INDO, Page 3, Column 1.

CAA Accused By CAB in 2 Plane Fires

By the United Press

One Government agency accused another yesterday of being partly to blame for two airlines fires last year, one of which resulted in 52 deaths.

The Civil Aeronautics Board said lack of care by the Civil Aeronautics Administration and the Douglas Aircraft Co., Inc., contributed to causes of the fires aboard two Douglas DC-6 airliners.

One of the planes, operated by United Airlines, crashed at Bryce Canyon, Utah, killing 46 passengers and 6 crew members. The other, operated by American Airlines, caught fire but made a successful emergency landing at Gallup, N. Mex.

The CAB, which sets air rates and investigates crashes, issued its findings in a supplementary report on the two accidents. The CAA, a sister agency, is responsible for safety work and equipment on the airlines.

The board said that gasoline tank overflow probably caused both fires and it commented:

"The failure of the manufacturer and the Civil Aeronautics Administration adequately to test and analyze the DC-6 fuel system and provide safe gasoline drainage were contributing causes."

It said another cause was insufficient attention on the part of the CAA, the manufacturer and the airlines themselves to the procedure used by pilots in transferring fuel from one tank to another while in flight.

The board said the fires were caused when gasoline overflowed from fuel tanks while being transferred from one tank to another.

Plane Plunges Into Auto Filled With Children

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 22 (U.P.).—A National Guard fighter plane plunged into an automobile filled with children today.

The pilot and the woman driving the car were injured critically. Two other adults and the seven children in the car were hurt. The children were en route home from a Christmas party in a parochial school.

Stout Field officers identified the pilot as Lieut. Victor A. Kelly, 24. He walked from the wrecked plane. An ambulance took him to a hospital.

Mrs. George Albrecht was the driver of the automobile.

The seven children, including 7-year-old twins, were members of three families. Mothers were riding in the car with them.

The crash occurred when the plane hit a tree-top during a landing attempt. It struck the moving automobile and smashed into a fence.

Dane, 14, Killed in Attacks

Boy Battles Sharks 2 Days After Effort to Save Friend

Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, Dec. 22 (AP).—A 13-year-old cabin boy told today how he "splashed and screamed and pulled away" from sharks in a grim battle for life that lasted almost two days in waters off the north coast of Cuba.

Russell Anthony Latona of Sacramento, Calif., the cabin boy, leaped overboard in a vain attempt to save the life of Bent Jeppsen, 14, a Danish lad also a cabin boy aboard the Danish ship Grete Maersk.

Sharks killed Jeppsen. No other crew members saw the boys go overboard and they were not missed.

Russell is in the Naval Hospital here. Admiral W. K. Phillips, commandant of the U. S. Naval Operating Base, said the boy "is getting along fine, and is in remarkably good condition. He's a very brave little fellow."

A hospital attendant said Mrs. Russell Latona of Sacramento is the boy's mother. The boy asked that she be notified.

"I tried to save Bent, but the sharks got after him, and the spot where we were was soon red with blood, and the sharks got after me, too," Russell told the attendant.

"Finally, the sharks killed Bent and I moved away from there, but they kept after me. I don't know how I kept them off, but I splashed at them, screamed, and pulled away as fast as I could."

He jumped overboard when the ship was 10 miles northeast of Cape Maisi on December 14. He finally reached shore near Taco, on the north coast of Cuba, and about 10 miles from where he leaped into the sea after his friend.

He was exhausted. One foot bore the marks of shark or barracuda bites.

Admiral Phillips said what saved the boy's life was his foresight in pitching a lifebelt into the sea.

Teachers' Sick Leave Meets Approval

District Commissioners approve—in principle—10-day annual paid sick leave for teachers. **Story on Page B-1.**

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PEOPLE In The NEWS

By Sam Stavisky

Unpredictable Sun Fo, 'Crown Prince' Of China, May Lead Nation as Father Did

History has a curious way of repeating itself, so it may be that short, stubby, scholarly Sun Fo, China's newest Premier, will yet succeed in the footsteps of his illustrious father, Sun Yat-sen, founder of the Chinese Republic.

Associated Press WIREPHOTO
DR. SUN FO
Inscrutable

Sun Fo has been selected by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, who still is boss-man of the Nanking government, to head up a new cabinet reportedly committed to obtaining an "honorable peace" with the Chinese Communists, or carrying on war to the bitter end.

Should Sun Fo find a way to form an "honorable" coalition government with the Reds, he will have followed in the steps of his great parent, Sun Yat-sen.

Sun Yat-sen temporarily stabilized the republican government after the overthrow of the Manchu dynasty by permitting rival factions, including communists, to participate.

Lacks Father's Stature

While there is a possibility that plump Premier Sun can follow these particular footsteps of his father, there's much doubt about the scion being able to fill the sire's shoes. American observers appear to agree that for all of Sun Fo's many estimable qualities, he lacks Sun Yat-sen's stature.

If Sun Fo has suffered by comparison with his famous father, he has also basked in the limelight because of his association with a sainted name. Even today, 23 years after the death of Sun Yat-sen, there are those who look upon Sun Fo as the "crown prince."

Sun Fo, the only son of Sun Yat-sen, was born in south China, to his father's first wife. The elder Sun later married Soong Ching-ling, sister of Madame Chiang. The boy was brought up in the Christian faith and reared in the Western tradition. After participating in the Revolution of 1911, young Sun came to the United States to study at the University of California and Columbia.

Called Leader of Left Wing

Back to China in 1917, Sun Fo asisted his parent in bringing some kind of order and government into the vast bandit-ridden, war-lord country with the support of Russia. After Sun Yat-sen's death in 1925, there was a move to boost Sun Fo into the leadership. But the son, though he had proved to be a polished administrator and smooth political operator, had no army. In the ensuing fight for power, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek took over.

Since then, Sun Fo has been in and out of the Chiang government—most often in. He has at times been called the leader of the liberal, left wing within the government, and at other times has been denounced as a psuedo-liberal fronting for the Generalissimo when the occasion called for it.

At various times, and in alternation, Sun Fo has turned to Russia, then to the United States, in matters of foreign policy. He has also alternately called for peace with the Chinese Communists and for battle to the death.

American critics of Sun Fo regard the erudite political leader as an up-and-downer, in-and-outer, hot and cold-er. For all his being an amiable, liberal, personality, Sun Fo is none the ess inscrutable. In China his enemies refer to Sun Fo as "Sun Wu-Kung," after the mythical Chinese monkey which could cover 10,000 miles in a single leap.

Author and journalist, Sun Fo is a potent phraser of words. He has hurled some of his sharpest barbs at the generalissmo, and in later years, at the Quomintang, the party which dominates the government.

Sun Fo's denunciations of evils at home have been considered audacious—and hopeful—in this country. Recently, though, certain of Sun Fo's remarks, directed at Uncle Sam, have been considered even more audacious. He has intimated that unless the United States increases its aid, China might line up with Russia.

Yet, in his next breath Sun Fo steps out and calls Russia nasty names.

Looking back, the researchers can discover where Sun Fo has been, but only a reader of tea leaves can tell where he's going.

Arlington Man Is Evacuated From Peiping

Shanghai, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Three American military attaches, including an Arlington officer, left besieged Peiping by plane today but were forced by engine trouble to land at Tientsin.

The American Army, Navy and Air Force attaches left Peiping's polo ground airstrip today for Nanking, but were forced to land on a race track at Tientsin three minutes later. A United States Marine plane was expected to take the group from Tientsin to Tsingtao, American naval anchorage on the east China coast.

Brig. Gen. Robert H. Soule, Laramie, Wyo., Army attache; Capt. Samuel Frankel, Arlington, Va., naval attache, and Lieut. Col. A. M. House, Long Beach, Calif., air attache, were accompanied by Gerald Nozick, United Press correspondent; Frederick Gruin of Time and Life magazines, and Harold Milks, Associated Press. The party was expected to proceed to Nanking after arriving at Tsingtao.

Capt. Frankel Decorated For Service in Moscow

Captain Frankel, 44, a native of Cincinnati, was graduated from the United States Naval Academy in June 1929, and assigned to duty aboard the USS Trenton, flagship of Cruiser Division 2, Scouting Fleet.

In 1941 he was ordered to the American Embassy, Moscow, as assistant naval attache and assistant naval attache for air. For his service in Russia he was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal.

He returned to this country in 1944 assigned to the office of the commander in chief, United States Fleet. Later he was active in funneling war prisoners out of Mukden, Manchuria. On March 17, 1948, he was assigned to Nanking, China, as naval attache. He lives with his wife, the former Esther Teller von Hellens of Seattle at 3608 N. Albemarle st., Arlington, Va.

Arlington Officer Leaves Peiping

U. S. Navy Photo
CAPT. SAMUEL FRANKEL
Outdistances Reds

CHINA—From Page 1

China Cabinet Gets Approval

of the cabinet suggests he doesn't intend to quit.

But Chiang said nothing publicly.

The Chinese Communist radio said the government "is tottering and soon will fall." It asserted Nationalist losses in the campaign northwest of Nanking have totaled 400,000 men since November 7.

Both sides in China's war habitually exaggerate reports. However, government losses in the Suchow-Pengpu campaign are regarded as considerable. Four Nationalist army groups have been eliminated, one way or another, from the military picture.

Reds Boast on Radio

"The Kuomintang lost three whole army groups, 14 armies or 34 divisions and a mechanized column," the Red radio reported. "The battered remnants of two army groups left under Kuomintang East China Deputy Commander Tu Li-ming are being annihilated in encirclement."

The latter groups are trapped southwest of Suchow.

Only small scale skirmishing was reported on the war fronts. In North China, the Communists edged to within 13 miles of Tientsin from the west. The city is hemmed in on the other three sides, its route to the sea cut off. Reds hold the Tientsin airfield, 7 miles from the city.

Barricades in Tientsin

Tientsin was described as in "full defense stage," with its streets barricaded. Nanking observers said Tientsin's defenders are not regarded as outstanding troops. They are facing crack Manchurian units under Gen. Lin Piao.

Fighting around isolated Peiping slackened. Progovernment dispatches to Nanking said this resulted when Communist Gen. Lin Piao pulled out two columns (10,000 to 15,000 men each) for an assault on Tientsin.

On the East China front before Nanking, the government retreat from the Hwai River line, 108 miles to the northwest, was continuing—apparently without incident.

The next major Nationalist stand is expected to be at the broad Yangtze River. Nanking is on its south bank.

Costa Rica Probers Due Here Today

Mexico City, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—The four-man consulting committee of the Organization of American States arrived this afternoon from Managua, Nicaragua, on a flight which should place them in Washington early Thursday.

Members of the committee, which has been conducting an on-the-spot investigation of Costa Rican charges of invasion by Nicaraguan troops, would not make a statement as to their findings.

They said they will call a meeting of the provisional council of the organization immediately to present their findings.

A spokesman said the committee hopes to wind up its work before Christmas.

Ambassador Paul C. Daniels, United States representative on the committee, said, "Although I can speak only for myself, everything has gone very swiftly and very efficiently. Both the governments of Costa Rica and Nicaragua were extremely cooperative."

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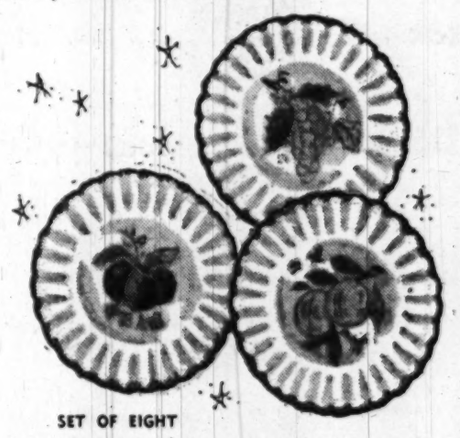

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Indonesian Drive Speeded by Dutch

Batavia, Java, Dec. 22 (AP).—The Dutch army raced tonight to overrun the few large remaining Republican centers before the United Nations Security Council could take any decisive action.

Communiques indicated the Netherlands forces were nearing Kediri and Madioen in central Java. Once these are in Dutch hands any semblance of central control by Indonesian Republicans seemingly would be ended. The Dutch thereby would have accomplished all that they planned when the shooting started.

The only big question remaining would be whether Indonesian prophecies of never-ending guerilla warfare would be fulfilled.

Night Firing Reported

One ray of light on that question was shed today when personnel of the U. N. Good Offices Commission returned to Batavia by Dutch plane from Kalioerang where they were marooned by the resumption of hostilities early Sunday.

T. K. Critchley, Australian member of the commission, said that from Kalioerang, a mountain resort above Jogjakarta, "some shooting could be heard every night and some houses could be seen burning."

Republican resistance was continuing in Jogjakarta, the Republican capital, even though it was captured by Dutch parachutists and airborne troops in the first hours of the offensive, he said.

All U. N. personnel caught in Kalioerang by the Dutch invasion returned to Batavia today.

(Indonesian sources in Paris said fighting was still on progress in 11 Indonesian cities held by the Dutch, including Malang and Soerabaya, the big Dutch naval base.

(Little other news from the Indonesian side was available Wednesday. Strict military censorship still prevailed on all news dispatches from Batavia.)

Indonesians Fire Town

Another slant on the temper of the Indonesians was the disclosure in a Dutch communique of the first application of the scorched earth policy. The communique said Indonesians set fire to the town and oil installations at Tjepoe, an oil refining center in central Java which the Dutch captured yesterday.

The communique disclosed that the Dutch have sliced completely across what once was the Indonesian republic. Troops which landed at Semarang on the north coast marched overland through the mountains for 60 miles into Jogjakarta and linked up Tuesday night with the parachutists who had captured the capital.

North and west of Jogjakarta the Dutch occupied Parakan, Setjang, Womosobo and Mageland. Along with Soerakarta, second largest city in the republic, Salatiga and Bojolali previously captured, the Dutch had gained control of all the strategic centers in the western two-thirds of the island of Java.

Dutch Casualties Light

Northeast of Jogjakarta the Dutch took Blitar which put them well on the road to Kediri and Madioen, further to the west. Blitar is only 20 miles southeast of Kediri.

This occupation apparently was taking place without serious opposition. The Dutch army reported its casualties to date were only eight killed and 14 wounded.

In Sumatra, the other island partly in the republic, the Dutch progress was no less significant. The army announced the capture of Bukittinggi (Fort De Kock), mountainous stronghold where Indonesian resistance might have been expected if anywhere. The town was the Indonesian capital in Sumatra. The Dutch said an airfield there was put into immediate use.

There was no report, however, that the Dutch had yet taken the Djambi oil fields north of Palembang, the last oil territory still in Republican hands.

INDO—From Page 1

U. S. Halts Indonesia Aid

Indonesian raw materials. Textiles were the biggest single item.

Because of the Dutch economic blockade of Republican-held territory, chiefly the central slice of the thickly populated island of Java, these supplies have been going only to the Dutch-held portions of the great island chain.

This is the second time since the war that American help for Indonesia has been lost to the Dutch because of hostilities there.

In September, 1945, the Export-Import Bank earmarked 100 million dollars for Indonesia, to be granted and spent when conditions there improved. The money was never granted, and last June the Bank's time-limit expired.

Hoffman Explains Action

In announcing ECA's suspension of funds yesterday, Hoffman explained:

"Hitherto, ECA has allotted funds for economic recovery of the Dutch-held portion of Indonesia as part of its program of assistance to the Netherlands. This policy was based on the conviction that expansion of production and exports of the many raw materials of Indonesia, such as rubber, copra, palm oil, tin, petroleum, bauxite, etc., would provide a great stimulus to the recovery of not only the Netherlands, but also of western Europe as a whole. . . .

"ECA funds can appropriately be spent for the shipment of supplies to Indonesia only if there is a reasonable assurance that United States aid can be distributed efficiently among the people of Indonesia and that it will contribute to economic recovery there and in Europe.

"Pending clarification of the present situation in Indonesia, it is impossible to determine whether the economic assistance program can be effective in these respects. Until this determination is made, the further commitment of ECA funds would be unjustified."

Ambassador Van Kleffens indirectly denied yesterday that there was any economic reason in Indonesia justifying the suspension of American aid. He declined to comment directly, but told reporters that "there is no fighting worth mentioning," that only eight Dutch troops had been killed, and that the native population is "peaceful and friendly and remains quietly at work."

Driver Trapped in Wreck

RESCUE WORK—Michael J. Downey, jr., 23, lies unconscious in the front seat of an auto which, police said, he was driving when it struck a tree in Chevy Chase Circle early yesterday. An unidentified doctor (right) attempts to ascertain Downey's injuries as men of Fire Rescue Squad 2 try to free him. They worked 20 minutes, cutting through the wreckage and prying it up with hydraulic jacks to get him out. Downey, of 136 W. Leland st., was in critical condition last night at Emergency Hospital. A passenger, James S. Crupper, of 109 W. Thornapple st., also was hospitalized

NATIONS—From Page 1

Jessup Hits Dutch Attack

ican chairman, Dr. C. Merle Cochran, was separated from his Australian and Belgian coleagues by the Dutch advance. Earlier in the day the Security Council had released a cabled report from Cochran which flatly stated:

"In commencing military operations on 19 December the Netherlands government acted in violation of its obligations under the Renville truce agreement."

This agreement, signed January 17, 1948, aboard the USS Renville, obligated both sides to give notice of intention to repudiate the truce. Jessup alleged that "in the middle of the night" the Netherlands delegation at Batavia notified Cochran that it was ending the truce in an hour's time, and that it had told the Republicans the same thing.

"But in the course of the night," Jessup went on, "telegraphic communications were cut off and permission for the Good Offices Committee aircraft to fly to the Republican capital was denied."

The Council adjourned after Jessup's speech. It will convene again at 10:30 a. m. (4:30 a. m. EST) tomorrow. Council Chairman Fernand van Langenhove said he had six more speakers listed, and probably others would want to talk.

The Good Offices Committee's charges against the Dutch were expressed in a cable by Cochran and T. W. Cutts, deputy Australian representative.

The committee is "not aware of any circumstances connected with Republican army maneuvers which should give rise to apprehensions and alarm leading to precipitate action on the Netherlands' part," Cochran and Cutts said.

They outlined these further points:

1. "Military operations carried out by the Netherlands forces must have involved considerable planning" and "it is difficult for the committee not to conclude that plans for such operations were in progress" even while the Dutch were negotiating with the Republic.

Dutch Letter Criticized

2. The Netherlands' last letter to the committee required a reply within a time limit "which was impossible of fulfillment" and which "give the letter some features of an ultimatum."

3. Possibilities of negotiations under the Good Offices Committee's auspices "had not been adequately explored" by the Dutch.

The committee also made public a communication received December 20 from the Netherlands government outlining Dutch reasons for military action.

It asserted the committee itself had told the Dutch that "the only chance of arriving at a solution is by direct informal talks" between Dutch ministers and Prime Minister Mohamed Hatta. The Dutch reported the committee had said that if these negotiations failed "there would be no chance for the Committee of Good Offices to bring the parties together."

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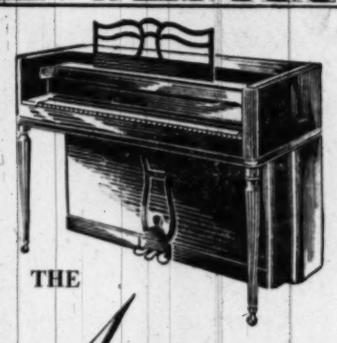

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By William J. Humphreys

Paris, Dec. 22 (NYHT).—The Marshall Plan does not make enough dollar assistance available, its four-year term is too short and its territorial scope too narrow, to make Europe wholly independent of United States economic aid by 1952.

That is the conclusion of the progress report being prepared by the 19 Marshall Plan beneficiary nations, it was learned tonight.

U. S. Not Criticized

The report is not critical of the United States, nor is there any expression of ingratitude in the text being drafted for submission to Washington, reliable sources said. But, they added, a study of the report will inescapably result in the conviction that the aid project for continental recovery cannot fulfill the goals set for it.

This does not mean that the report suggests that the Marshall Plan is not helping Europe. It means simply that the Marshall plan countries believe only a part of the job can be done under the present terms.

(London sources estimated the aid total falls about one billion dollars short of meeting needs.)

The report should not come as a shock to the new American Congress when it meets to consider a new term of Marshall Plan aid for the 16 participating countries, the western occupation zones of Germany and Trieste.

Ample Warning

There has been ample warning that the Marshall Plan coth was being cut too short to fit all the customers. Last April, the economic commission for Europe reported that a second Marshall Plan would have to be prepared or the beneficiary governments would have to reduce their American imports drastically after 1953.

Unless American aid was continued beyond that date, disturbances in the highly developed industry of the United States and in the underdeveloped European industries were bound to occur, the commission found. It estimated that abrupt severance of Marshall Plan help in four years' time would cut Europe's American purchases 25 per cent below the 1938 level.

This sort of predicament is what the Marshall plan is trying to avoid. It aims at increasing European living and production standards.

Timely Recovery Of Lost Watch

Associated Press WIREPHOTO
BOBBY LEE DYER, former Marine, now an Army corporal of Des Moines, winds up the watch he lost on Okinawa which was returned to him four years after he received it as a Christmas present from his wife. Edward Batch of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., took the watch from a Japanese prisoner of war in 1945 and traced Dyer by the name and serial number engraved on the back

ECA Puts Off Cargo Switch From U.S. Flag

Paul G. Hoffman, Economic Cooperation Administrator, yesterday put off for at least 30 days his threat to reduce recovery shipments in American vessels unless they cut their rates.

He said his action was taken, in part, to give Congress a chance to study the problem after it reconvenes next month.

Under present ECA policy, at least 50 per cent of all bulk recovery cargo leaving the United States is shipped in American bottoms. Hoffman warned two weeks ago that the procedure would be abandoned January 1 unless United States rates were lowered to a point nearer in line with those of foreign carriers.

The threat raised a storm of protest from the shipping industry and maritime unions.

Hoffman did not refer to the complaints in his announcement, saying only that he was continuing the policy until February 1 on recommendations of ECA's Public Advisory Board, which studied the problem earlier yesterday.

The announcement said two "new circumstances" were recognized by Hoffman in his decision to postpone action. These were a decrease in the rate differential between United States and foreign carriers during recent weeks, and a continued high demand for bulk cargo because of the French coal strike and other circumstances.

"The one-month postponement," the statement added, "will also permit appraisal of the underlying problem by the new Congress after it convenes on January 3, 1949."

Hoffman unveiled his threat in a letter to Chairman Styles Bridges (R., N. H.) of the Congressional "Watchdog" Committee on foreign aid.

He pointed out to Bridges that he was required to give American ships at least 50 per cent of ECA business only if such ships were "available at competitive rates."

U. S. Protests Disrobing of 3

Prague, Czechoslovakia, Dec. 22 (AP).—The United States Embassy has protested to Czechoslovakia that three Americans from the embassy were disrobed and searched recently by Czechoslovak officials, it was learned today.

Mrs. Irene Adelaide Foster-Vaclavik of Chicago was submitted to a 45-minute search at Ruzyne airport here December 8. It was reported she was forced to remove her clothing for the search. She was an embassy clerk in Prague and was en route to Oslo, Norway, for a post there.

At Cheb on the German border, a train was held for more than an hour December 6 while customs agents stripped Mr. and Mrs. John Pazourek of Flushing, N. Y. They were en route to the United States for home leave. Pazourek is building superintendent of the embassy here. It was understood a mailbag he was carrying was opened.

The stories came to light while the embassy still was awaiting a reply to a request to talk with Mrs. Edythe Rodovsky, an American citizen who have lived in Prague 20 years. She was arrested December 11 by political police and is held incommunicado.

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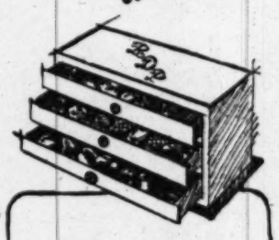
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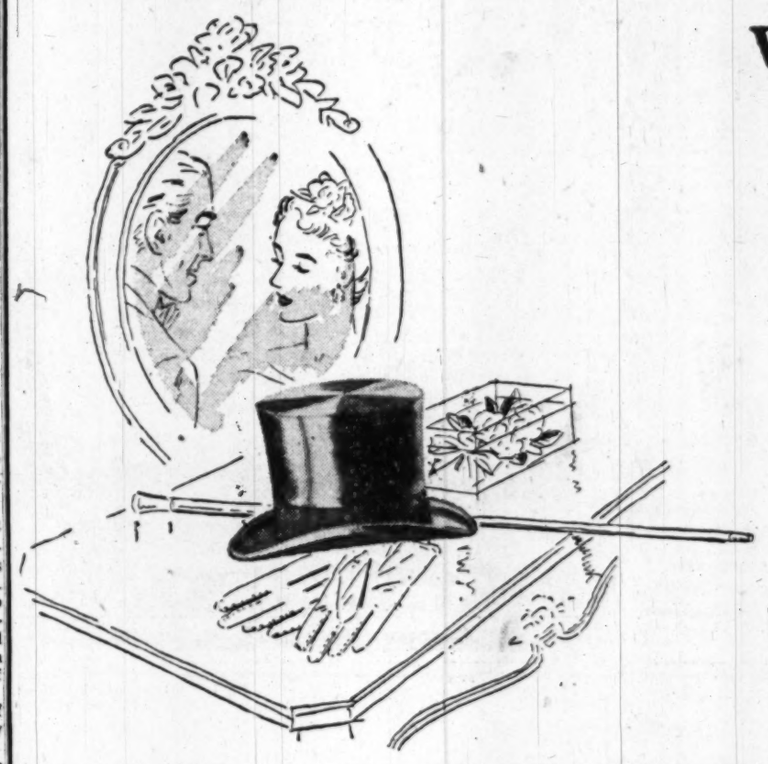
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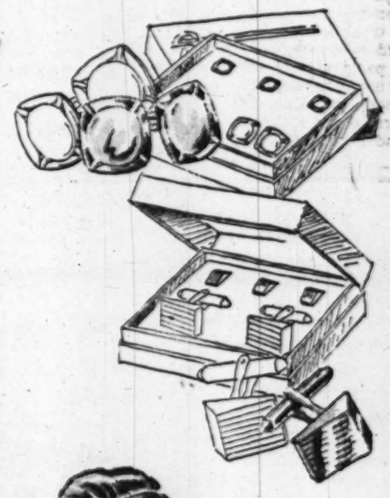
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Helicopter Rescues Expectant Mother

Icecap Attempt

Three Rescue Planes Flown To Greenland

By The Associated Press

A new attempt to rescue 11 United States fliers marooned in subzero weather on a 7500-foot icecap in Greenland was reported imminent.

Air Force headquarters here said three more rescue planes—one of them equipped with skis and rocket motors for takeoff—arrived yesterday at American air bases in Greenland for the renewed effort.

But officials said arrangements are going ahead to drop a Christmas dinner to the men, just in case they don't get out before Saturday.

[The United Press said high winds yesterday blocked any attempt to rescue the men. They said snow drifts probably have made the rescue glider unusable and other means may be tried. Three attempts to rescue the men by having a big plane pick up the glider from a tow rope suspended between two poles have failed.]

Two Fairchild C-82 transport planes, one with a glider, the other with a small single-engine liaison plane, arrived at Bluie West 1 base in Greenland about 110 miles from the crash scene.

A third rescue craft, a two-engine C-47 with skis and jet boosters, reported in at another Greenland base, Bluie West 8.

A helicopter that made a weather reconnaissance flight earlier yesterday said heavy winds still prevailed.

The men's plight caused increasing concern as they huddled in makeshift shelters, blasted by icy winds. Some officials said rescue under the circumstances was far from a certainty.

Several of the men have wives living at Bluie West 1. One wife, Mrs. James B. Prevost (no United States address), has talked to her husband by radio. He is the pilot of a C-47 transport that crash-landed on the ice cap December 9.

Seven of the group made a forced landing on the frozen cap December 9 when their C-47 ran into trouble. Four days later, two would-be rescuers joined the original party when their B-17 nosed over into a snowbank.

Then, on December 17, two others landed a glider and became stranded themselves.

Anchorage, Alaska, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—An Army helicopter tonight flew through heavy snows and strong winds and rescued Mrs. Freida Johansen, an expectant mother, marooned 24 hours on a gale-swept Alaskan lake.

Mrs. Johansen of Keinai, Alaska, "suffered labor pains throughout the night" after her plane was forced down on the lake 35 miles southeast of Anchorage, Pilot Lieut. Charles Weir reported.

Lieut. Weir was aboard the helicopter which picked up Mrs. Johansen and flew her to Anchorage. Mrs. Johansen's baby was expected momentarily.

The hazardous trip was made in zero visibility. The helicopter was buffeted by high winds in the flight, Weir said.

The helicopter carried Capt. Donald Brown, a medical officer attached to the Alaska Air Command.

Two Bombers Barely Make Coast Hop

Sunnyvale, Calif., Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Two Navy B-17 patrol bombers nursed "dangerously low" fuel supplies for 1000 miles over the ocean today and made safe emergency landings at the Moffitt Field Naval Air Station.

Both planes landed with only a few minutes' gasoline left in their tanks, after it had been feared that they might be forced down at sea.

Each plane had five men aboard.

Three rescue planes hovered beside the bombers for the last 450 miles of their long overwater flight from Honolulu, prepared to drop lifeboats and rafts if they were unable to reach the California coast.

The pilot of one of the bombers had radioed the Navy that he might crash-land in Half Moon Bay, 25 miles south of San Francisco, but he managed to stretch his dwindling gasoline to reach Moffitt.

The four-engined bombers were on a "routine training flight" from Honolulu. Their gasoline consumption was increased by head winds.

The Navy at first reported only one plane in trouble.

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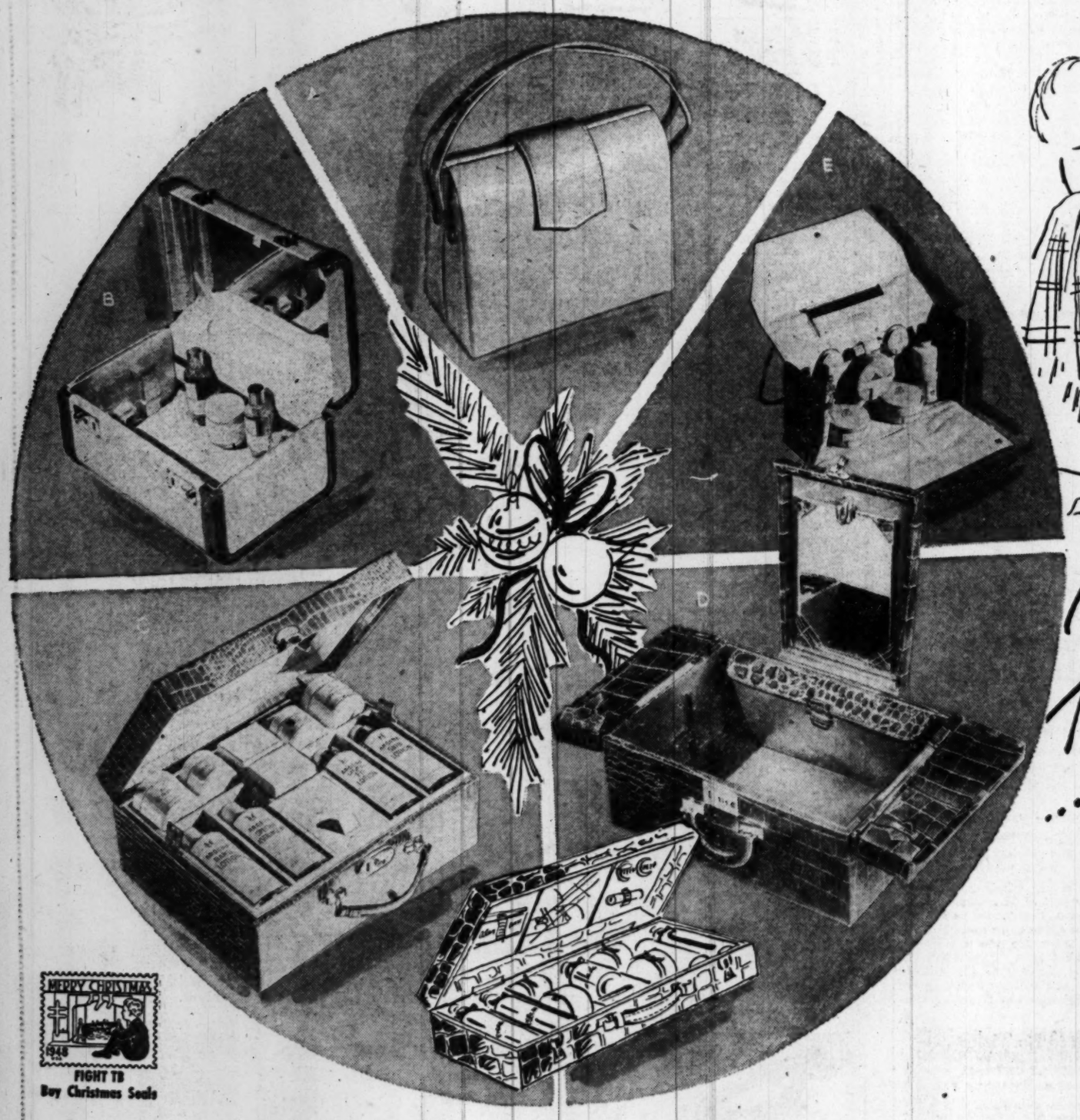

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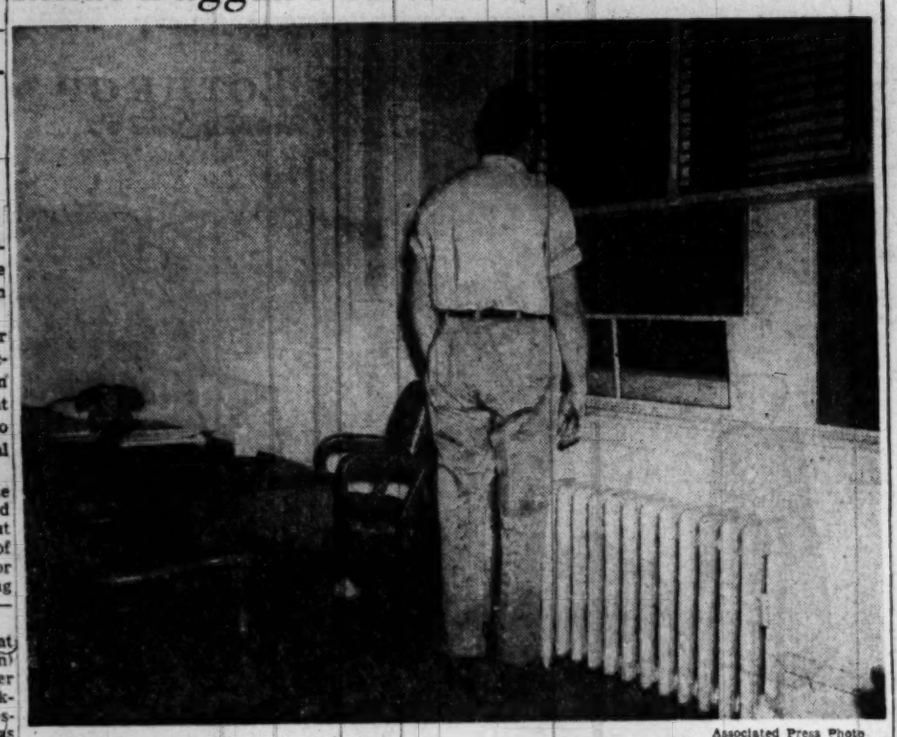
Inside Duggan's Office . . .



Associated Press Photo

DEATH WINDOW—A man stands in front of the window in the sixteenth-floor New York office of Laurence Duggan from which the former State Department official plunged to his death. Duggan's hat and coat are on the chair where they were left and his brief case is on the floor against the desk. Mayor William O'Dwyer has promised a complete investigation

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Hull Praises Duggan as 'Honest' Aide

Sumner Welles, former Undersecretary of State, had wired the Mayor he was confident Duggan had not taken his own life.

However, some time after O'Dwyer's announcement, Detective Lieut. Walter Henning, in charge of the inquiry, said that "up to this time we have found no evidence to refute our original finding of 'fell or jumped.'"

[The New York Herald Tribune said last night the police had "ruled out" the possibility that Duggan had been pushed out of the window of his sixteenth floor office, and that they were carrying it as a case of "jumped or fell."—Editor's note.]

Welles messaged O'Dwyer that "since I received from (Duggan) only yesterday (Monday) a letter written in the best of spirits, asking me to send him some suggestions in a matter in which he was interested, I find it impossible to believe his death was self-inflicted."

The mayor replied with personal assurance that a "thorough investigation" would be conducted.

Duggan plunged to death in the snow from his sixteenth-floor office in midtown Manhattan Monday night.

Shortly afterward the Un-American Activities Committee released testimony revealing he had been mentioned before it as a former Government official who had supplied secret data to Whittaker Chambers, former Communist courier.

Denial by Chambers

The testimony was that of Isaac Don Levine, editor of Plain Talk magazine. Yesterday, Chambers denied receiving any papers from Duggan. He said he did not know Duggan, though he said he had mentioned Duggan as a member of an alleged pro-Soviet bloc in the State Department.

Today Chambers told reporters: "Too much emphasis has been placed on my statement that I personally never knew Laurence Duggan, and that he never gave me documents.

"Practically overlooked is the fact that I found it necessary to give Duggan's name to Mr. (Adolf) Berle (former Assistant Secretary of State) in 1939." [Levine's testimony was that Chambers, in a 1939 talk with Adolf Berle, State Department official, had named Duggan as one of the six who gave Chambers information.]

Representative Richard M. Nixon (R., Calif.) said in a broadcast Wednesday night that Chambers' statement that Duggan had not given him any information "clears Duggan of any implication in the espionage ring." He added: is the best evidence."

[Acting Chairman Mundt of the Un-American Activities Committee called upon the FBI to reveal why they questioned Duggan shortly before he plunged to his death. Mundt said the FBI should take the action in "fairness" to Duggan's family. He said the information should be made public, however, only if Duggan's family wants it that way.—Editor's note.]

"Foul Play" Idea

A theory of possible "foul play" in Duggan's death plunge earlier was advanced by Mundt. But he said he had no evidence.

Members of Duggan's family asserted their strong belief he did not take his life, but was the victim of a freak accident.

A brother, Stephen Duggan, jr., told a reporter, "There was no motive at all for my brother to have taken his life. I believe he fell from the window when he went there for air after suffering an attack of nausea or something like that.

Back to Sign Mail

The brother said Laurence had returned to his office Monday night after appointments elsewhere to sign his mail before going home.

"In this mail were several letters making appointments for the next few weeks," he said. "He had planned to make a trip to Washington Tuesday with an associate at the institute.

"He had a wonderful family, with four kids, and he loved his job. This investigation (the espionage probe) didn't bother him. He was a fighter. He laughed at it."

The executive committee of the Institute of International Education Institute, which Duggan headed for the past two years, praised him in a statement.

"In all the years it has known him, the board has always had the greatest confidence in his integrity, his ability, his diligence and his patriotism," the statement said.

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Gen. Smith Plans Return From Moscow; May Quit

By the United Press

Lieut. Gen. Walter Bedell Smith, American Ambassador to Russia, plans to return to the United States shortly and may resign, high Administration sources reported last night.

These sources believe that only the strongest pressure from President Truman and Secretary of State George C. Marshall might persuade him to stay at his post, one of the most difficult and important assignments in the foreign service.

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Duggan Case Brings Attacks

mentioned before the committee . . . in connection with the Hiss-Chambers affair was a blunder, a breach of confidence and a violation of agreed upon procedure," Hebert said.

"Headline happiness has always been one of the committee's obstacles. This is another example of that malady. It is incongruous that a committee which is denouncing leaks in the State Department and other Government agencies can't stop leaks within its own ranks."

He termed it "wrong-doing in the last straw" to disclose Duggan's name had been mentioned in closed session, without proof of substantiation of guilt.

Only Guilty Accused

Hebert said he was not accusing the whole committee, but "only the guilty ones and they know who they are." Before he left Washington, he said members agreed not to bring the name of anyone "into a public session before a closed session had been held and the person given an opportunity to defend himself."

Mundt told newsmen that Hebert's understanding of the committee agreement was "perfectly correct."

"The committee did not intend to reveal that testimony," the acting chairman said. "We decided not to, unless the committee voted otherwise. When we did release it, it was by a majority vote of subcommittee members then in town, and on the theory it would be helpful to the police."

Mundt said he and Representative Richard M. Nixon (R., Calif.) voted to release it. He said the only other member in town was Rankin, and they did not contact him because of the late hour. When the subcommittee met formally the next day he said the action wasn't questioned.

Would Have "Protested"

Rankin said if he had been consulted, he would have "protested."

"I am sure if the full committee had been consulted it would not have been given out," Rankin said. "I would have tried to talk Mundt out of releasing it. Duggan was dead and nothing was accomplished by releasing it."

Rankin said he still thought Duggan's death "looks more like a murder than a suicide," adding:

"The Red ring in this country, and throughout the world, uses this method to get rid of anybody who is likely to expose their traitorous designs."

"I don't think it was a blunder and I have no regrets about it," said Mundt. He said the committee will not release the other five names Levine gave the group in executive session "unless something like this comes along again," and that the circumstances and the vote of the committee will determine that.

The Americans for Democratic Action meanwhile hit the committee and Mundt himself in a letter addressed to Rayburn in Bonham, Tex.

The letter, signed by Joseph L. Raub, jr., chairman of the ADA executive committee, said in part:

"The irresponsible and cruel slander of Laurence Duggan by House Committee on Un-American Activities is final tragic proof that the committee should be abolished on the opening day of the new Congress.

Statement Assailed

"Chairman Mundt's pious proposals for committee reforms are utterly meaningless in the light of his unhuman and flippant statement following Mr. Duggan's death. Mundt, in an obvious attempt to keep his name in the papers, boasted that the identity of other witnesses would be disclosed 'when they jumped out of the window.'

"Like his many colleagues and predecessors on the House investigating committee, Mundt has given the best evidence why the committee should be abolished. It is clearly unwilling or powerless to curb its own procedures . . ."

The House committee, meanwhile, called an executive session for 10:30 this morning to hear former Assistant Secretary of State Francis B. Sayre, head of the United Nations Trusteeship Council, who served in the State Department when Duggan was there. Anna Belle Newcomb, Sayre's secretary at that time, also will be questioned.

Mundt had said that committee evidence indicated only four persons had access to papers stolen from Sayre's office—Alger Hiss, indicted for saying he did not pass on papers to the former Communist, Whittaker Chambers; Miss Eunice Lincoln, Hiss' secretary; Miss Newcomb, and Sayre himself.

Issue Disputed

In New York yesterday, Sayre told newsmen there were "certainly more than four persons" who had access to the papers taken from the department. In Washington, Mundt commented that the committee's information still shows that only the four "had direct and continuous access" to the papers.

"Of course the other Assistant Secretaries could read them and there were messengers who delivered them," Mundt said. "But only the four had access to the filing cabinet in Sayre's office. And only Miss Lincoln had the key to the filing cabinet, and she kept it hidden in her desk."

The House committee meantime prepared to release today a report on "Communism and Labor" and is whipping into final form, for possible release this weekend, its report on the espionage case.

Mundt said the espionage report will have an "unfinished business" section pointing to loose ends of the present case and "other targets" that should be investigated by the Democratic-controlled committee taking over in January. He said that some of Chambers' undisclosed testimony may possibly be included.

Jarett to Be Tried On January 7 In Hyattsville

Byron E. Jarett, who was arrested on eight separate traffic charges following a wild chase by Maryland police Monday, will be tried January 7 in Hyattsville Police Court.

Jarett, a mechanic, of Bear Creek, Ill., was remanded to Hyattsville jail yesterday when he was unable to raise $1000 bond set by a justice of the peace.

The mechanic's arrest came after his jeep mired in the mud at Mount Rainier after he had eluded more than a dozen State Troopers and county police in a 20-mile, 4-hour chase.

A woman's complaint that a jeep had just crossed her front lawn brought police to the scene. They found Jarett vainly trying to extricate the vehicle from hub-deep mud.

Thomas Stricken By Stomach Ailment

Allendale, N. J., Dec. 22 (AP).—Representative J. Parnell Thomas, New Jersey Republican under indictment for conspiracy, was stricken today with a stomach hemorrhage similar to the one which laid him up earlier this year. His physician, Dr. Fred S. Kanning of Allendale, reported Thomas in satisfactory condition at his Allendale home.

Mrs. Chambers Cleared by Court In Auto Death

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Mrs. Whittaker Chambers, wife of the Red spy case principal, was cleared of negligence today in the death last Friday of a 70-year-old woman pedestrian in an auto accident.

Magistrate Reuben Caplan dismissed charges that Mrs. Chambers had "caused the death" of the aged woman. He said there was no evidence of any criminal negligence on the part of Mrs. Chambers.

The victim, Mrs. Maggie Thomas, died in a Baltimore hospital a few hours after she was hit by the Chambers auto. Mrs. Chambers was on the way to the railroad station at the time to pick up her husband who was returning from New York.

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U. S. Plans 60% Cut In AMG Personnel

By Daniel De Luce

Berlin, Dec. 22 (AP).—A drastic slash in American military government operations in Germany is planned for 1949 to cut payrolls by 60 per cent.

The cutback has been drafted in Washington by the Army Department and Col. J. T. Duke, representing Gen. Lucius D. Clay, the U. S. military governor in Germany.

(This does not mean troops on occupation duty are being reduced. The AMG staff handles governmental administrative affairs gradually being turned back to the Germans.)

The plan is known to call for a 30 per cent reduction of AMG personnel in the spring and another 30 per cent later in the year. The cuts are dependent to some extent, however, on the progress western Germany makes toward becoming a federal state.

The present AMG staff is estimated at 4000 Americans. The British have nearly three times as many officials in their zone.

Soviet Police Extend Inspections to Trolleys

Berlin, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Soviet sector police extended their inspection system to Berlin's trolley cars today, leaving the subways the only means of transportation free from Russian spot checks.

Streetcars were canvassed just before they rumbled out of the Soviet sector into the western part of this four-power city.

Armament Ban

Powers Said To Plan for Ruhr Police

London, Dec. 22 (AP).—A diplomatic source said today an international police force will be created to assure that the Ruhr district of Germany never again becomes an arsenal of aggression.

The informant refused to be identified by name or nationality. He said the decision was taken at a six-nation conference called to consider the future of the Ruhr. Participants included the United States, Britain, France, Belgium, Luxembourg, and the Netherlands.

In essence, the informant said, the plan will create a seven-nation board, with Germany as a member, which will keep a tight rein on production in the Ruhr. Through its own police force, the board will keep close watch on whoever controls Ruhr mines and factories, allocate its coal, coke and steel production for export and domestic use, and keep an eye out for discriminatory trade practices.

That would mean the board can assure itself that a proper share of output goes into European recovery, and that Germany does not again quietly build up potentials for aggression.

The board's police force will patrol plants to see they do not exceed production limits fixed by the seven governing powers, the informant said.

The conference, which is expected to close this week, left the question of state or private ownership of Ruhr industries for the future. The French have urged that the Ruhr be internationalized. Britain and the United States have suggested that ownership should be decided by the Germans themselves after the peace treaty is signed and they have their own legal government.

The United States in general favors private ownership of the area's industrial enterprises and mines. The British have suggested socialization.

The decisions to set up international policy surveillance and to delay decision on eventual ownership represent major concessions to the French, and may strengthen the government of Premier Henri Queuille.

U. S. Can Hold Atomic Lead, Waymack Says

By the United Press

The United States can stay in front in the atomic energy field even if it loses its atom bomb monopoly, according to William W. Waymack, resigned member of the Federal Atomic Energy Commission.

The bomb is by no means all there is to atomic energy, he said in an interview. Power and knowledge are as important to "our defense potential" as weapons, and "the stronger our atomic defense and our science in general, the stronger we are for defense and everything else."

Waymack turned in his badge as an atomic commissioner Wednesday and today headed for his farm in "'Coon Holler," Iowa, for a long rest. Former editor-in-chief of the Des Moines Register and Tribune, he was one of President Truman's original appointees to the commission in 1946.

His term, once extended by Congress, would have run to June 30, 1950, but he resigned last week at the age of 60, pleading weariness.

The United States "absolutely must" hang on to and expand its atomic supremacy because of present world tension, he told the United Press, and he predicted that the present 60-million-dollar annual cost of the Government's atomic energy program will have to be increased during the next few years.

Speaking as an ordinary citizen, Waymack said he thought that top priority should be given in the next few years to development of reactors for production of atomic fuel and power. "We have learned some things that make progress possible in th..t field," he added, but he would not say what they are.

Nor would he say whether the discoveries are expected to change the tentative timetable of atomic power development. It is now three years for a demonstration plant, 10 for experimental but noncompetitive power production, and 20 to 30 years for production on an economic basis.

Waymack said that atomic energy already is paying off in the use of radioactive materials for scientific research and that work in that field is "moving as fast as people can be trained for it."

West Europe To Get Jets

London, Dec. 22 (AP).—Britain has agreed to equip France, Belgium and Holland with jet fighters for the air defense of western Europe, an authoritative source said today.

It is all part of the Brussels pact—which those four countries and Luxembourg signed last year—and of the western European Union defense plans, the source said, adding:

"Plans for the air defense of western Europe under the Brussels Pact are very far advanced, much further than the man on the street realizes."

These plans were drafted subject to approval of Air Chief Marshal Sir James Robb, commander-in-chief of the western European Union air forces.

And Who Wouldn't Be Smiling . . .?

The Washington Post

GLADYS GUINN

of 2929 Connecticut ave. nw., a typing teacher at Stuart Junior High School, is wearing her very best $10,000 smile. That's how much she received yesterday for her 25 well-chosen words which won first prize in the recent Eversharp-Shick Injector Razor contest. Merry Christmas, Miss Guinn

Clay Gets Beating Report

Berlin, Dec. 22 (AP).—Gen. Lucius D. Clay's justice review board said today that several Americans suspected of black market activities in Germany were arrested without warrants by United States Army agents and two "probably" were beaten.

The board ordered testimony relating to the alleged beatings referred to the Army provost marshal.

Its report was based on an investigation of a complaint that United States Army criminal investigation division agents mistreated several Frankfurt post exchange employes now being tried for alleged black market activities.

The complaint was made to General Clay by Joseph S. Robinson of New York City, attorney for the employes. The United States military governor set up the board to study and make recommendations on the administration of justice in the Army's European command.

24 'Missing' On Airliner

Athens, Greece, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—At least 24 persons, including 11 bound for Israel, were reported missing today on a Czech National Airliner, believed down in a rugged mountain region controlled by Greek guerillas.

The airline said there was no word on the fate of the 19 passengers and 5 crew members. Operations officers at Athens' Hassani airport said the plane was carrying 21 passengers.

Among them, advices from Prague said, was Elias Goszansky, ideptified as the secretary of the Israeli Communist Party. It was understood he boarded the plane in Prague just before it took off for Rome, Athens and Lydda, Palestine.

Bastogne Gets Nuts on Anniversary

Bastogne, Belgium, Dec. 22 (AP). Bags of American nuts were distributed to Bastogne's children today on the fourth anniversary of Brig. Gen. Anthony C. McAuliffe's famous reply to the Germans.

Faced with a German demand for surrender at the height of the 1944 Battle of the Bulge, General McAuliffe's answer was "nuts."

The distribution was made today by Maj. Charles L. Hufteab of Falls City, Nebr., on behalf of the 101st Airborne Division which was surrounded here in the Battle of the Bulge. The 660 pounds of nuts were donated by the American Nut-Growers Association.

The entire population gathered at the monument bearing an American tank which commemorates the 101st's famous stand. It was a holiday and the people recalled that December 22 four years ago was a particularly bright day on which the American Air Force parachuted large amounts of supplies to the encircled troops.

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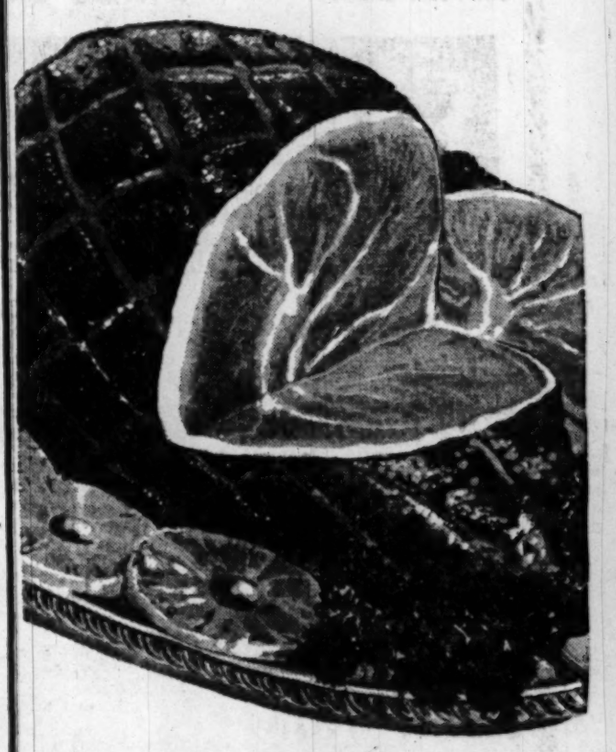

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Red Bow **FANCY MIXED NUTS** lb. pkg. **47c**
Blue Diamond **NONPAREIL ALMONDS** lb. pkg. **55c**
Diamond Large **BUDDED WALNUTS** lb. pkg. **49c**
Del Monte **CRUSHED PINEAPPLE** No. 2 can **31c**
Stokely's Finest **SWEET GHERKINS** 12 oz. bot. **37c**

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100% Fruit-Filled **XMAS CANDY** lb. **39c**
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Tojo's False Teeth Left to His Wife

Tokyo (Thursday), Dec. 23 (AP).—Hideki Tojo's last gifts to his wife are his world-famous horn-rimmed glasses, his false teeth and his Buddhist rosary.

The condemned warlord who was hanged today for war crimes obtained a promise from Shinsho Hanayama, Buddhist priest, that he would take the mementos to Mrs. Tojo after the executions.

This was disclosed today in the manuscript of a book written by Hanayama, who attended Tojo in his last days and walked with him to the scaffold.

In his "Discovery of Peace," the priest said he also had promised to take out two documents written by Tojo—his "Will for the World" and one concerning family matters.

The "will" deals with the former dictator's views on the emperor, on politics—and doubtless on his justification for the war.

Tojo asked that a poem be inscribed on the back of his tombstone, but Hanayama did not reveal its contents.

The priest said Tojo and most of his death-house associates had composed themselves well before the executions.

"The heart of Buddha comes to me," the priest quoted Tojo as saying.

One of Mrs. Tojo's last letters to her husband was full of small details of daily living: She told him, "I am getting sunburned."

She wrote that she had hoped to have a final chat at home and to be allowed to prepare a Japanese dinner for him or "be allowed to hold your warm hand at an interview even just once."

Tojo's Family Offers Prayers

Tokyo (Thursday), Dec. 23 (AP).—The family of Hideki Tojo today offered Buddhist prayers and incense to his spirit before the family altar.

All but one of the immediate family were present for the ceremony shortly after 2 a. m.

Tojo's second son, 34-year-old Teruo Tojo, said the family had expected the hangings during the night and had remained awake for the news. They were informed by Japanese newspapermen.

"My father believed in his principles," Teruo said. "We feel he ended his life as he felt best. We feel the same way."

Present for the ceremony today were Tojo's widow; another son, Toshio; Teruo's wife and four of Tojo's daughters, Mitsue, Machie, Yukie and Sumie.

Average Japanese Left Shocked and Bitter

Tokyo (Thursday), Dec. 23 (AP).—The average Japanese up at this early hour felt shock and a certain bitterness now that former Premier Hideki Tojo has been hanged.

Police, firemen, ricksha men, prostitutes and late revellers who missed the last train home all looked solemn when told of the executions. There was no joking, no expression of relief that it was over.

A policeman, who said he was a former air force man, remarked: "My feelings are so complex, I am unable to express them."

A ricksha jockey in a group by a bonfire muttered: "It wasn't the responsibility of those people alone."

One of his fellows declared: "They deserve it for causing us hardship, but I feel sorry for them anyway as fellow countrymen."

A fireman put it almost the same way: "They probably deserve it but I can't help feeling sorry for them."

Two policemen, former Navy men, when told the executions took place on the birthday of Crown Prince Akihito suggested that "maybe they picked that day on purpose."

A Japanese reporter for a big Tokyo daily said he was relieved. "What is to be done has been done," he said. "The responsibility has been placed."

Hanged by Their Necks . . .

Gen. Kenji Doihara

Gen. Aikira Muto

Gen. Iwane Matsui

Gen. Seishiro Itagaki

Gen Heitaro Kimura

Koki Hirota

HIDEKI TOJO, Premier of Japan at the time of Pearl Harbor, and six other Japanese war criminals were hanged yesterday in Tokyo

War Careers Of Executed Jap Leaders

By The Associated Press

Here are brief career highlights of the seven Japanese leaders who were hanged for war crimes in Tokyo yesterday.

GEN. HIDEKI TOJO, 63. The principal defendant and the personification of the Japanese enemy to most of the Allies throughout the war. Led Japan into the Pacific conflict. Fell from power in 1944 after Japan suffered reverses. Critically wounded himself in a suicide attempt after the surrender but was saved by transfusions of American blood.

Known to Japanese as "The Razor" because of keen, ruthless mentality. Created greatest sensation of the long trial when he took the witness stand and ably defended his wartime and prewar actions. Reiterated his call to Asiatics to unite, and declared he believed history would justify him.

GEN. KENJI DOIHARA, 64. Japanese army's expert undercover operative in China and Manchuria. Nicknamed "The Bird of Evil Omen" by the Chinese. Helped seat Henry Pu-yi on the puppet throne of Manchoukno and Wang Ching-wei as chief of a wartime puppet government in China. Commanded armies in China, Malaya and Japan during the Pacific war without notable success, his talents admittedly being greatest as a secret agent.

KOKI HIROTA, 70. Foreign service career man. Three times Foreign Minister and became Premier in 1936 when assassinations by army plotters overthrew the moderate government. Retired in 1936 but attended the pre-Pearl Harbor conference of former Premiers at which war plans were revealed. Served in the House of Peers throughout the war.

GEN. SEISHIRO ITAGAKI, 63. Former War Minister and former chief of staff of the Kwantung (Manchurian) army. Was ranking officer in Mukden at time of the 1931 incident that started conquest of Manchuria. Commanded armies in China, Korea and Singapore during Pacific war.

GEN. HEITARO KIMURA, 60. Former commander in Manchuria. Vice Minister of War throughout Tojo's premiership, and subsequently commander of army in Burma. Accused of responsibility for wholesale atrocities committed by his subordinates.

GEN. IWANE MATSUI, 69. Commanded the army that raped Nanking in 1937. Defended Japanese actions in Manchuria before League of Nations. Was absent from trial for long periods due to illness.

LIEUT. GEN. AKIRA MUTO, 56. Rose from the ranks to high command. Only one of the defendants to do so. A War Ministry official for many years. Chief of staff under General Yamashita at the time of the American reconquest of the Philippines.

Tojo, 6 Other Japs Hanged for Crimes Against Millions

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leaders indicted April 29, 1946. Two defendants later died, one was declared insane and 25 were tried. Trial began June 3, 1946, and arguments were not completed until April, 1948. The tribunal handed down its judgment November 11, condemning the 7 and sentencing the other 18 to terms ranging from 7 years to life imprisonment.

General MacArthur affirmed the tribunal's judgment November 23.

Their doom was sealed Monday when the United States Supreme Court refused to act on appeals by Doihara and Hirota.

Tojo was the last of the three Axis dictators to die and the only one to be brought to trial. He shot himself below the heart in a suicide attempt September 11, 1945, but was saved for the gallows by American Army surgeons.

Following is the official report of the executions of the Japanese war lords.

"Seven Japanese war criminals condemned to death by the international tribunal for the Far East were hanged early this morning at Sugamo Prison.

"First to be hanged were Gen. Kenji Doihara, Gen. Iwane Matsui, Hideki Tojo and Lieut. Gen. Akira Muto. They were hanged simultaneously.

"In the second group of simultaneous hanging were Gen. Seishiro Itagaki, Koki Hirota, and Gen. Heitaro Kimura.

Asked for Japanese Food

"Notification was given the condemned men at 9 p. m. (Tokyo time) December 21. At this time they were brought into the prison chaplain's office two at a time.

"Each requested an hour alone with Dr. Shinsho Hanayama, the Buddhist priest in attendance at the prison. At this audience, only one request was made. Tojo asked that he be served Japanese food on his final day. His request was granted.

"All the condemned men spent their final days writing letters, visiting with the Buddhist priest and bidding each other goodby.

"They ate sparingly during the day, both Japanese food and United States rations.

"Official witnesses, doctors and essential prison personnel were present. Also attending at the invitation of the supreme commander were the following persons: Minister William J. Sebald, chairman and United States member of Allied Council; Gen. Shang Chen, member for China; Patrick Shaw, member for the British Commonwealth and Lieut. Gen. Kuzma Derevyanko, member for the USSR.

Invited by MacArthur

"They attended in response to following memorandum from General of Army Douglas MacArthur:

" 'The war criminals condemned to death by the International Military Tribunal for the Far East will be executed at Sugamo Prison on Thursday, December 23, in the early-morning hours. Inasmuch as the executions will carry out in pertinent part the judgment of the Allied powers represented on the tribunal, I request your attendance thereat as official witnesses for said powers in order that you may thereafter certify to execution of that phase of the tribunal's judgment.

"Twenty minutes prior to the time set for the first hangings, four condemned men were escorted by guards from individual cells to a private chapel erected on the first floor of the cellblock where they were confined.

"Following final Buddhist rites in this improvised chapel, the condemned were escorted to gallows. Following this chapel ceremony, the prison officer of the day led the way to the death house, followed by Sugamo Prison United States chaplain and a Buddhist priest. En route, each condemned man was flanked by two United States soldier guards.

"They proceeded in the following order: Doihara, Matsui, Tojo and Muto. Two prison officers brought up the rear. As the procession entered the death house, the Buddhist priest stepped aside and the remainder of the party entered.

"Each man was individually identified as he entered the execution chamber. Their entrance to this chamber was in front of witnesses who had arrived prior to entry of the condemned men.

"Following identification, the condemned walked up 13 steps to the gallows platform, where they turned to face witnesses.

Traps Sprung at 12:01 A. M.

"After each of the condemned had taken his place on the gallows platform, black hoods were placed over their heads and ropes were adjusted.

"The chief executioner on the platform saluted the commander of the execution detail and reported that the condemned men were prepared for execution. The executioner then turned toward the condemned men and signaled that the four traps be released.

"It was then one and one-half minutes after midnight, which was also one minute after the time the war criminals entered the chamber.

"Doihara was declared dead at 7½ minutes after 12, Tojo at 10½ minutes after 12, Muto at 11½ minutes after 12 and Matsui at 13 minutes after 12.

"The second group was then escorted to the death house, entering at 19 minutes past 12.

No Gallows Messages

"The same procedure followed. The traps were released at 20 minutes after midnight.

"Itagaki was declared dead at 32½ minutes after 12, Hirota at 34½ minutes and Kimura at 35 minutes past midnight.

"The condemned men walked to their doom without assistance.

"No final messages were voiced on the gallows although several audibly uttered Buddhist prayers.

"There was a doctor attending each of the hanged men who when he determined that the executed man was dead summoned the senior medical officer who upon examination corroborated the death and pronounced the man dead.

"The hanged men wore United States Army salvage work clothing completely devoid of insignia of any kind.

"U.S. Army graves registration personnel recovered the bodies from the well-lighted gallows. Remains were to be cremated and ashes scattered, as is the case with all executed Japanese war criminals.

Under Constant Watch

"Following pronouncement of sentences November 12, the condemned men were placed in single cells in one of six blocks of Sugamo Prison. They were accorded the same consideration as has been previously given other condemned war criminals.

"At all times they were watched by a squad of eight guards under immediate direction of a corporal of the guard.

"A noncommissioned medical aid man and a commissioned officer guard were also present at all times. Guard details were changed every six hours. Seated across a hallway of cell blocks was one guard who constantly observed two of the prisoners, and one walked between barred doors of the cell, looking at first one and then another prisoner.

Quarter-Hourly Medical Check

"At 15-minute intervals, these guards changed assignments. The medical aid man on duty checked each prisoner every 15 minutes to observe his respiration and to look for arterial bleeding, this check being made from outside the cell.

"The guard officer and corporal of the guard also made personal observations of each prisoner every 15 minutes.

"Seven adjoining cells in the block were used. No other prisoners were kept in the block of over 50 cells.

"The cells were 8 feet long, 5½ feet wide and 10 feet high. Each contained a desk, wash basin with both hot and cold running water and a toilet.

"A Government mattress was placed on the floor and a number of blankets requested were provided. The entire cell block was heated. Double mesh screens were inside the outside windows. The cell door consisted of heavy bars, giving full view of the interior of the cell.

"The men were allowed visits by members of their immediate families once each month. All had their December visits on the first day of December. They were allowed to visit each other during two periods of the day, 1:30-3 p. m. and 7-9 p. m., but only two could be together at any one time in any one cell.

"They spent their time writing, reading and playing cards, chiefly solitaire. Books and writing material were provided and a supply of Japanese cigarettes was available to them. However, they could have but one at a time and that was first lighted by one of the guards.

"As far as practicable, the same guards were assigned to this duty having been especially selected for the assignment. Many of them served in this capacity for nearly two years with only occasional days off. At no time during their incarceration did any of the condemned men commit any act of violence."

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Truman Flies Home to Spend Yule Holiday

By Marshall Andrews
Post Reporter

Kansas City, Dec. 22.—President Truman landed at Fairfax Airport at 1:22 p. m. (CST) today to spend Christmas week with his family and old friends in Independence, Mo.

He was greeted at the airport by Mrs. Truman and their daughter, Margaret, who had driven over from Independence with Margaret at the wheel. Mrs. Truman met him as he stepped to the ground and gave him a discreet peck on the cheek.

Mr. Truman then spied Margaret, said "Hi, Baby," and planted a hearty kiss on her lips. Mrs. Truman and their daughter had come out several days earlier.

After a few minutes spent in greeting friends at the airport, the President entered an automobile and was driven the 27 miles to Independence. At 4 p. m. he came in to Kansas City and went up to the eleventh floor penthouse of the Hotel Meuhlebach for more than an hour of work. He then returned to Independence for the night.

In addition to his family, Mr. Truman was met at the airport by some 250 persons who greeted him with a burst of applause when he stepped from the door of the presidential airplane, the Independence. Among those who came up to speak to him were Mayor Roger T. Sermon of Independence, Harry G. Barto, president of the Independence Chamber of Commerce; his brother, J. Vivian Truman, and a few of Mrs. Truman's relatives.

When the President entered the Baltimore st. door of the Meuhlebach for the first time since his triumph at the polls last November 2 he paused to shake hands with Doorman Charles Banfield, who has been on the job 30 years and has known Mr. Truman since he came home from the war in 1918 as a young artillery captain. On the President's departure, Banfield handed him a Christmas card showing himself opening the hotel door and inscribed: "A Merry Christmas to you from Charlie of the Meuhlebach." He had supplemented it in his own handwriting to read: "Mr. President: A Merry Christmas to you from Charlie of the Meuhlebach . . . Charles Banfield."

When Mr. Truman entered the Independence at National Airport in Washington this morning, he found it decorated with holly and mistletoe. He was presented with a cake with the inscription: "Merry Christmas Mr. President from the crew."

The Independence took off at 10:07 a. m. (EST) and headed West into an 80-mile-an-hour headwind. By climbing to 16,000 feet the pilot found head winds reduced to 50 miles an hour and made the long hop in 4 hours and 15 minutes.

In addition to his personal baggage the President brought with him a formidably stuffed brief case containing papers on which he intends to work while here. Among these was the three-page memorandum on the economic situation handed to him yesterday by Dr. Edwin G. Nourse, chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers. He also brought along material for his state of the Union message which he has said he would deliver to Congress January 5.

At the door of the Independence he turned to reporters and a small crowd there to see him off, and said, "I hope Santa Claus brings you everything you want."

Upon his arrival at Independence the President found that Santa Claus already had visited the big house on Delaware st. where he has spent every Christmas but one since entering the White House in 1945. The President learned that he had been sent an 18-pound ham. Grand champion of the Daniel Boone fair last fall, by Wallace G. Holt, sr., of Boonville, Mo. Holt, who has sent Mr. Truman four previous Christmas hams, said this one cost him $145.

The President's schedule for the holidays has not yet crystallized, except that he will make a radio talk Christmas Eve night and press a button which will light the tree on the south lawn of the White House in Washington.

Carl A. Loeffler, 75, to End 59 Years of Service in Senate

The Washington Post

SENATE SECRETARY RETIRING—Carl Loeffler (left) of 4615 29th pl. nw., as secretary of the Senate, receives silver candlesticks from Edward E. Mansur, jr., chief clerk of the Senate, as a farewell gift

Carl A. Loeffler, 75, secretary of the Senate, said yesterday he may start work on a book when he ends his 59-year career on Capitol Hill in January.

Loeffler's life as a Senate employe began in December, 1889, when he was appointed a page. He has been secretary of the Senate for two years.

He will continue to hold the office until his successor—expected to be Leslie L. Biffle, from whom Loeffler took over—is elected by the incoming Democratic Senate majority.

Book About Senate

After he leaves office, Loeffler said he will sit back for a few months and decide what to do with the rest of his time. If he does begin a book, he said its main objective would be to give the Senate its rightful buildup in the eyes of American youth.

To visiting newsmen, Loeffler showed the pair of silver candlesticks which had been presented to him as a farewell present by his associates at the Capitol.

He estimated that in his years of service he has personally seen some 50 per cent of all the Senators who have held office since the first Congress. He has seen all the Presidents since Harrison.

Many Assignments

Between his jobs of Senate page and Senate secretary, he served many years as assistant doorkeeper of the Senate. Other assignments have included assistant Senate sergeant-at-arms, secretary to the Republican Committee on Committees, the Republican Steering Committee, and clerk of the Republican conference.

In 1929 he was elected secretary for the majority in the Senate, and in 1933 and 1934 was elected secretary for the minority in the Senate.

Loeffler was born in Washington, where his father, Maj. Charles D. A. Loeffler, was stationed. He grew up here and in Lock Haven, Pa., his mother's home town. He was married in 1901 to Minnie Schneider of Washington and they live at 4615 29th pl. nw.

Inauguration Will Cost Area $215,000, Committee Says

Greater Washington's part in the inauguration of Harry S. Truman January 20 will cost slightly more than $215,000, the Inaugural Committee estimated yesterday.

The $215,000 figure, which is tentative, represents the amount the committee believes it can raise from sale of parade seats, the inaugural gala and ball, and other sources, Melvin D. Hildreth, committee chairman, said.

In another phase of the inaugural preparations, two citizens' groups wrote the Commissioners yesterday, urging a float with a suffrage motif to represent the District in the inaugural parade.

Marshall Hornblower, for the Washington Home Rule Committee, said in his letter that "such a design would not be controversial." Mrs. John P. Thomas, president of the D. C. League of Women Voters, termed the parade an "opportunity" to bring to the Nation 'the voteless plight" of District residents.

The Progressive Party of the District also issued a statement urging a suffrage float.

In announcing the tentative inaugural budget, Hildreth said it had been reached "despite greatly increased costs in every field of activity." The budget will be guaranteed by a fund contributed by District and nearby Virginia and Maryland businessmen.

Chairman Hildreth, after revealing a breakdown of individual expenses in the budget, said it had been approved "only after we were convinced we would be able to repay contributors to the guarantee fund 100 cents on the dollar."

He added that the Inaugural Committee will not try to make a large profit on the festivities, but that whatever remains after expenses will go to charity.

Biggest budget item is grandstand construction—$98,075. Printing, engraving and stationery is figured at $33,900; next highest are salaries and wages, at $24,577, and insurance costs—$10,000. Other items are:

Plans and specifications, $2750; rentals, $9480; stage construction, $2216; decorations, flags and flag poles, $9350; medals, $4491; insignia and badges, $1508; inaugural auto tags and registration cards, $600; professional services, $500; commissary, $700; postage, $6976; telephone and telegraph, $4088; signs, $100; freight, $200; travel and transportation, $3580; subscriptions to publications, $100; miscellaneous, $2370.

Besides Greater Washington's monetary role in the inaugural festivities, another $100,000 will be put up by the Federal Treasury for expenses at the Capitol—mostly to pay for stands and seats.

From 100,000 to 150,000 persons are expected to witness the swearing into office there of the President and Vice President, according to Leslie L. Biffle, secretary of the congressional inaugural committee.

It was also revealed that President Truman will be sworn in with the old family Bible used when he succeeded the late President Roosevelt. He will take the oath from Chief Justice Vinson. Vice President-elect Barkley, also using an old family Bible, will be sworn in by Associate Justice Reed of the Supreme Court.

The Democratic Central Committee for the District announced it will sponsor an inaugural ball January 20, at the Pan American Union. From 2500 to 3000 are expected to attend. Dress will be formal. Cost of tickets has not been determined.

Egypt Reports Raids By Israeli Warplanes

Cairo, Dec. 22 (AP).—A War Ministry spokesman said tonight Israeli planes raided Egyptian positions in Palestine and were met by antiaircraft fire. He said one enemy plane was shot down at Faluja.

Gifts Urged For Children Of Germany

Vice President-elect Alben W. Barkley yesterday appealed to Americans to shower Christmas gifts and food on the children of Germany and Austria.

Boarding a plane for Germany, where he will help spread Christmas cheer among United States airlift crews and the Army of Occupation, Barkley said it would be a fitting opportunity "at this Christmas season to do unto others as we would have them do unto us."

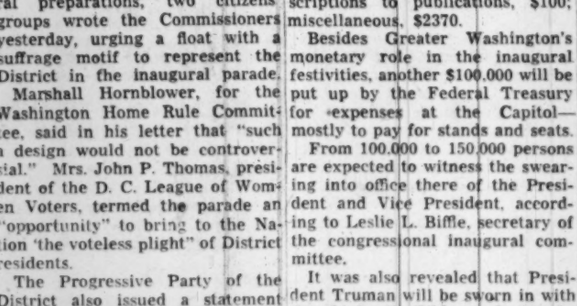
He said the children of the two nations are not responsible for the "brutal war" which involved the world and he emphasized that "they constitute the adult citizenship of these countries, within a few years."

"It is, therefore, very important that they be brought up with a sense of appreciation of the efforts being made by the American people in their behalf and, also as human beings, they are entitled to our sympathetic considerations."

He asked that food packages for the children, as urgently requested by Gen. Lucius D. Clay, occupation commander, be sent to CARE in Washington, earmarked for Clay. (CARE is at 1344 Connecticut ave. nw.)

Barkley was accompanied by W. Stuart Symington, Secretary of Air; Radio Comedian Bob Hope and Mrs. Hope; former Lieut. Gen. James Doolittle and News Commentator Elmer Davis.

Barkley took a message from President Truman to the men and women carrying on the Berlin airlift.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ARMOUR ★ SAUSAGE MEAT lb. pkg. 39¢
FRESH BAY OYSTERS Standards Pint 65¢
FRESH BAY OYSTERS Selects Pint 75¢
BEST QUALITY PURE LARD lb. pkg. 21¢

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OCEAN SPRAY CRANBERRY SAUCE 2 reg. cans 31¢
DEL MONTE EARLY GARDEN PEAS 2 303 can 35¢

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Man Cuts Big Figure in Late Shopping Rush; Middies Join Throngs, Pack Airline Spaces

Some call it "lawnjeree," some "lingerry," while others just act sheepish and point a finger, said the trim young "shopper's assistant" at the information desk.

It was her way of saying that yesterday's "last minute" shoppers in a Washington department store seemed to be predominantly male—in search of lingerie.

A slightly less restricted survey of the day before the eve of Christmas Eve showed:

1. Plenty of women procrastinate, too.

2. Holiday-bent travelers began streamlining out of the city in increasing numbers.

3. Airlines, though booked to capacity, were able to accommodate a "surprisingly large number" of persons without reservations.

4. Railroads added extra trains to handle a heavy flow of passengers.

5. Buses were fully loaded, with the prospect of a 25 per cent increase in passengers today and Friday.

6. Major department stores continued a rushing business, especially during the latter part of the day. Volume seemed to be greater than Tuesday, and about equal to that of Monday.

A fair sprinkling of Naval Academy Midshipmen mingled with late-hour shoppers puffing to beat the deadline.

Airline officials said much of their lack of space was due to passage through Washington of midshipmen, who made reservations weeks ago.

American Air Lines was able to accommodate "about 200" persons without prior reservations because of cancellations, one official said.

Capital Air Lines said they received about 500 calls yesterday for last-minute reservations. An estimated 4000 passengers more than normally carried were being transported, according to one official.

At Colonial Air Lines, a spokesman said about 15 per cent of those without reservations were getting space.

An Eastern Air Lines official estimated 3000 persons yesterday asked for holiday reservations. Northbound space is "at a premium," he added, but would-be passengers on the waiting list stand an "excellent chance."

"Stand-bys" Accommodated

About 35 per cent of the "stand-bys" at Trans World Airline were accommodated yesterday, according to one estimate. All flights are loaded "on paper" until 11:50 p. m. Friday.

Waiting lists were "moderately heavy" at United Air Lines, a spokesman reported, but stand-by passengers had "a 90-per-cent chance of getting a flight."

All transportation offices expected Friday to be their busiest day of the week because Government workers will leave work at noon for the Christmas holiday.

Air mail and air parcel post were reported well above previous Christmas marks. United Air Lines reported an increase on Tuesday of 83.5 per cent over last season's peak day in air mail handled.

Union Station officials reported last night that all Pennsylvania and Southern Railway trains carried two extra sections yesterday, leaving five minutes apart.

One spokesman said the number of travelers did not appear greater than Wednesday, but space was generally filled in both coaches and Pullmans.

Soviet Farmer Is 138, Tass Agency Reports

London, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—The official Soviet news agency, Tass, reported today that collective farmer Safar Gussein Ogly had celebrated his 138th birthday recently in the village of Morul in the Shankho district of Azerbaijan province.

Princeton Party Today

The Princeton Club will hold its annual Christmas luncheon and party for undergraduates of the area at 12:15 p. m. today in the Congressional Room of the Willard Hotel.

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The Washington Post

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DIARY—*From Page 1*

Subcommittee Approves Raise Of $330 for District Workers

the President would prefer a bill increasing the pay of his executives rather than a bill to raise his own salary. To sidetrack the bill now, he said, would be to further discourage and drive out more able officials from their jobs.

In effect, the subcommittee promised to propose a companion bill later on which would raise the salaries of bureau chiefs as well as top professional and scientific positions. The group said it would cause "unending confusion" to include even a few of these jobs in this bill.

For the President's White House assistants the bill provides two jobs at $22,500; three at $20,000, and seven at $17,500. The present range is: one at $10,000; nine at $10,330; one at $12,000 and one at $15,000.

$22,500 Category

Clearly provided for are raises for other Federal executives. The following will get $22,500 (present salary in parentheses):

Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission (17,500), Administrator for Economic Cooperation (20,000), Comptroller General of the United States (12,000), chairman, Council of Economic Advisers (15,000), executive secretary, National Security Council ($10,000), director, Bureau of the Budget, (10,000), chairman, National Security Resources Board (14,000), administrator, Federal Security Agency (12,000), Administrator of Veterans' Affairs (12,000), chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System (15,000), Undersecretaries of all departments (12,000), assistant to the Attorney General (10,330), Solicitor General of the United States (10,330), First Assistant Postmaster General (10,330).

Designated for $20,000

The following will get $20,000 (present salary in parentheses):

Administrator, Housing and Home Finance Agency ,$16,500), administrator, Federal Works Agency ($12,000) members, board of governors, Federal Reserve System, other than chairman ($15,000), members, Council of Economic advisers, other than chairman $15,000), members Atomic Energy Commission, other than chairman ($15,000), Public Printer ($10,330), Librarian of Congress ($10,330), director, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service ($12,000), chairman, Munitions Board ($14,000), chairman, Research and Development Board ($14,000), director, Central Intelligence Agency ($14,000) deputy administrator for Economic Cooperation ($17,500), Assistant Comptroller General ($10,330) assistant director, Bureau of the Budget ($10,330), executive assistant administrator of Veterans' Affairs ($10,330) assostant administrator, Federal Security Agency ($10,000) director, Administrative Office of United States Courts ($10,330).

$17,500 Category

The following will get $17,500 (present salary in parenthesis):

Housing Expediter (12,000), administrator, War Assets Administration (12,000), director, Selective Service System (12,500), Archivist of the United States (10,000), Civil Aeronautics Board (12,000), (11,500), Displaced Persons Commission (10,000), Export-Import Bank of Washington (15,000), (12,000), Federal Communications Commission (10,000), Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. (15,000), Federal Power Commission (10,000), Federal Trade Commission (10,000), Interstate Commerce Commission (12,000), National Labor Relations Board (12,000), National Mediation Board (10,000), Railroad Retirement Board (10,000), Reconstruction Finance Corp. (15,000), 12,500), Securities and Exchange Commission (10,000), Tennessee Valley Authority (10,000), Civil Service Commission (10,000), Maritime Commission (12,000), (10,000), Tariff Commission (10,000), Indian Claims Commission (10,000), War Claims Commission (12,00), Philippine War Damage Commission (12,000), Board of Commissioners, District of Columbia (10,000), general counsel, National Labor Relations Board, as established by Public Law 101, Eightieth Congress, (12,000), all assistant secretaries of departments, including the Fiscal Assistant Secretary, Treasury Department, (10,330), (10,000), all assistant attorneys general (10,330), Assistant Solicitor General of the United States (10,330), counselor of the State Department (10,330), Second, Third and Fourth Assistant Postmasters General (10,330), associate director, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service (10,330), deputy director, Central Intelligence Agency (10,000), administrator, Philippine Alien Property Administration (10,000), chief assistant librarian of Congress, (10,330), deputy public printer (10,330), architect of the Capitol (10,330), assistant administrator, Federal Works Agency (10,000), commissioner, PHA, Housing and Home Finance Agency (15,000), commissioner, FHA, Housing and Home Finance Agency (15,000), members, Home Loan Bank Board, Housing and Home Finance Agency (15,000), governors, territories and possessions (Alaska, Hawaii, Virgin Islands) (10,330), governor, Panama Canal (10,000), director of Aeronautical Research, National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics (10,330), assistant director, Administrative Office of United States Courts (9707).

District Officials Held In Favor of General Hike

District Budget Officer Walter L. Fowler said last night that District officials "are heartily in favor of District employes being treated the same as Federal ones on the pay raise." He said the raise should not be limited to classified employes only, but should cover firemen, policemen, teachers and per diem workers also.

If the entire group is included, the cost would be about five and a half millions dollars, Fowler said. He pointed out that even if revenue-providing legislation is immediately enacted to raise the additional amount, borrowing probably would be necessary to cover payments during the period before sufficient income is produced.

Store-Window Santas Leave Next Week

Downtown department stores, seething with Christmas spirit, colored lights and bright red ribbons, will heave a sigh of relief next week and start removing decorations they spent six months concocting.

Though harried parents may just now be scurrying around in search of trees and trimmings, the Christmas season began last June for most department-store display men.

Plans were formulated then for what the store decorators agree is their biggest and most expensive job each year.

Display men placed their orders with manufacturers early last summer for the animals, Santa Clauses and other figures destined for mechanical children's displays.

These "moving" windows, most of which boast vocal accompaniment via an amplifier, took months of careful planning before their debut early in November.

One five-window "circus train" requires nearly 75 motors to operate the nodding heads and flapping extremities of "Dumbo," "Mickey Mouse," "Pluto" and half a dozen other Walt Disney-approved animals.

Just assembling the papier-mache "circus train," made to order by a Chicago firm, took ten full days, a store official said.

In one store four bigger-than-life-size white plush monkeys, clad in red caps and boots, "pedal" each other on a bike and tricycle.

In another, Santa Claus, nodding agreeably, stamps incoming mail on a moving conveyor belt as he sits in Santa's postoffice.

"Here's a little girl who wants a walking doll," Santa announces jovially through the loud speaker, and a half dozen little girls wiggle hopefully each time he says, "We'll see that she gets that!"

The job of dismantling fancy Christmas trimmings begins next Monday for store decorators.

Christmas Trees Bear Notes From 3 Canadian Children

By Donald Oleson
Post Reporter

Genial Kris Kringle must have his headquarters somewhere south—not north—of Canada.

Or so is appeared yesterday from three letters in childish scrawl which an Arlington Christmas tree dealer found tied to balsam firs shipped from New Brunswick, Canada.

The notes—on blue paper and wrapped in oilcloth—were found after the trees arrived on the Christmas tree lot operated by G. W. Bayliss & Son at Wilson blvd. and N. Court House rd.

One, scribbled in pencil, read:

"To whoever gets this tree: I am 12 years of age and am in Grade 6 and have a long way to go to schbol and would like to have a bike."

It was signed: "John Scott, Upper Nelson, New Brunswick, October 22."

A similar transportation request was on another tree from "Brucie Gallant," 10, also of Upper Nelson, who said he had to walk 2 miles to school and wanted a bike "or anything else."

A third note from Alberta Hazlett of McKinleyville, New Brunswick," who said she was 8, merely said she "would like to hear from whoever gets this tree."

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JOY VANILLA CAKE MIX 10 oz. pkg. 25c

CROSSE & BLACKWELL PRESERVES PURE STRAWBERRY lb. jar 39c

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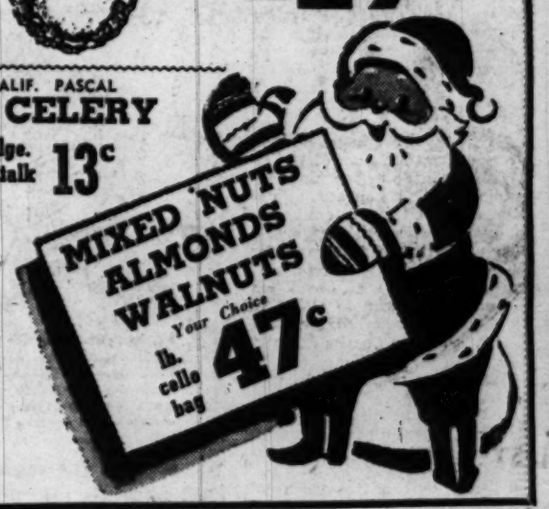
CARROTS CALIFORNIA ORIG. BUNCH 2 bchs. 21c

LETTUCE CRISP CALIFORNIA lg., firm heads 15c

CAULIFLOWER SNOWHITE FIRM HEADS lge. head 29c

CALIF. PASCAL CELERY lge. stalk 13c



State Dept. Files Cited in Divorce

The third wife of Chief Pharmacist's Mate Laurence C. Garrett yesterday declared in District Court that they had been married almost nine years before she discovered he had another wife, whom he had married a year before their own wedding took place.

Mrs. Margaret Garrett, 34, whom Garrett married on May 4, 1987, said she learned about the second Mrs. Garrett's existence in January, 1946, through passport files in the State Department, where she is employed.

She is seeking a divorce from Garrett because he has been living with Mrs. Ruth Garrett, whom he married on March 6, 1936. He is seeking an annulment from Margaret Garrett on the grounds he was drunk when they were married.

Margaret Garrett said she looked in the passport files after she telephoned Garett's quarters in Atlanta, Ga., and a woman who identified herself as Mrs. Garrett, answered. In the files she found an application for a passport made out in 1939 by Mrs. Ruth Garrett, to accompany Garrett on a tour of duty in China, she said.

From there on, she checked through telephone books and city directories and only then discovered that Garrett also had been living at other locations in Washington during the years he was with her here the testimony declared.

Back in 1942, she met Ruth Garrett, who came to her home, and asked if she knew Laurence, Margaret stated.

"I denied knowing him, however," she testified. "He warned me that a woman, old enough to be my mother, was running around after him and would chase him to the end of his days. He said she'd kill me and him both if she found out we were married."

"I denied knowing him, because I didn't know whether she had a gun or something in her purse and I was afraid,' she added.

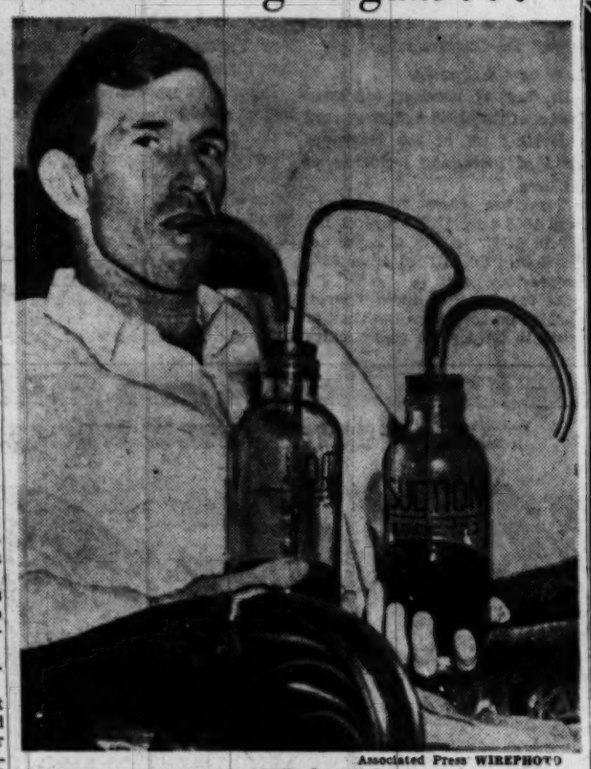
Margaret Garrett said Ruth's visit had not made her doubtful of her own marital status, because she had believed Laurence's story.

She denied that Garrett was drunk on the day they went to Ellicott City, Md., and were married.

"I never in my life saw him intoxicated," she declared.

Testimony about Garrett's first wife, who is not directly involved in the case, was introduced earlier in the trial to show that his divorce was not final from her until five months after he had married Ruth.

He'll Not Laugh Again . . .



Associated Press WIREPHOTO

BLOWS BUBBLES FOR LIFE—Lester Lawson, an automobile mechanic of Suck Creek Mountain, near Chattanooga, Tenn., has been warned that if he laughs, a bullet lodged in his heart may plug a ventricle and kill him. Lawson blows bubbles with this apparatus five hours a day to strengthen his lungs, punctured four times by bullets in a gun fight. He is 38 years old

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APPEAL—From Page 1

Court Ruling On Inspections

ened epidemic might establish a different case.

Decision Outlined

Public authorities may use all necessary means to protect the public health, including inspection of premises, the decision said. The majority of cases sustaining this inspection power, however, concern public places, where there is the prospect of immediate danger to a large segment of the public, the decision stated.

"In a private dwelling, the present danger is a much more elusive thing . . . Unless the condition which is the object of inspection amounts to an immediate danger or a dangerous nuisance per se, it would appear that municipal authorities would be acting beyond their powers in taking any summary action," the decision read.

The decision was written by Associate Judge Brice Clagett, with Chief Judge Nathan Cayton and Associate Judge Andrew Hood concurring.

Police Aspirant Under Arrest

A 23-year-old man, who jumped the gun on his possible appointment to the police force, yesterday was ordered held under $500 bond for grand jury action on a charge of impersonating a police officer.

He was Claude Smith, jr., of 2038 18th st. nw., who was arrested Tuesday night in a restaurant in the 1700 block of Kalorama rd. nw., after he flashed a police badge at a waiter there.

Pvt. E. G. Mower of the Thirteenth Precinct, who arrested him, said Smith flashed the badge after the waiter asked him to sit down, because he was being too noisy. Smith said he found the badge, which is the property of Pvt. Alton Thomas of the Fourth Precinct.

Smith told police he had passed his written examination to join the police force several weeks ago and had expected to take his physical examination this week.

ABC—From Page 1

Drunk Charge Called False

dismiss the three charges against the grill, which the board did.

Howard did not appear as a witness at the hearing. A subpena was issued for him but it was served on his wife. It was also difficult to order his appearance because he is a resident of Maryland.

However, when reached at his home, Howard told a reporter of The Washington Post:

"I don't have any defense. I was drunk."

He said he had attended the Maryland-North Carolina football game that day, drank at the game and then accompanied some friends to the tavern after the game to continue drinking.

Howard said he didn't "remember much of what happened" but did recall he resisted when the policeman tried to take him out of the grill.

At one point during the hearing, Raymond testified he was "just going to take him outside because I wanted to give him a break, but he put up such a fight that I arrested him."

$40 Collateral Forfeited

It was also brought out during yesterday's hearing that Howard had forfeited $40 collateral on the three charges—$10 for the drunk charge, $5 for disorderly conduct, and $25 for assault.

After the hearing Wise told The Washington Post, "We depend heavily on the testimony of police in cases before the ABC Board."

He then called Fondahl and told him what had taken place at the hearing. Fondahl immediately called Raymond to the Eighth Precinct for questioning.

Fondahl admitted he was making an investigation but refused to comment further. He said after he had obtained all the facts in the case, he would make a report to headquarters.

Maj. Robert J. Barrett, superintendent of police, said, "We will take appropriate action after receiving the report from Captain Fondahl."

Raymond, when asked after the hearing why he would not say Howard was drunk when he had so stated in his written report, replied:

"I would like to tell you, but I can't say anything. Maybe after the investigation is over I'll be able to tell you. I have been told not to say anything until then."

Three Years in Navy

Raymond is 30, lives in the Devonshire Court Apartments on Wisconsin ave. nw., and was appointed to the force January 2, 1947. He has been assigned to the Eighth Precinct since March 17, 1947. During the last war he served three years in the Navy.

The other two charges against the grill, serving an intoxicated person and permitting an intoxicated person to remain on the premises, were filed after the still unexplained death of Mrs. Grace Lerch, 25, the night of November 16.

She allegedly had been drinking in the grill a short time before she fell from a moving cab at 24th and Calvert sts. nw. She died in Emergency Hospital a few hours later.

George Skarvonnes, 30, who, police have said, was riding in the cab with Mrs. Lerch, is currently free in $1000 bond pending a coroner's inquest December 29. At the time of her death both were living at 1925 Biltmore st. nw.

The ABC Board dismissed the two charges after an attorney for the witnesses said he could not allow them to testify because the inquest is still pending.

Anne Arundel Man Freed of Rape Charge

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 22 (AP).—Howard Ruby, 34, a laborer, today was acquitted on a charge of raping a neighboring woman at Brooklyn, Park, Md.

After a nonjury trial, Judges James Clark and Benjamin Michaelson pronounced Ruby innocent in Anne Arundel County Circuit Court. Ruby was freed of charges of rape, assault with intent to rape and assault on a 29-year-old married woman.

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JUMBO PASCAL CELERY jumbo stalk 19c

RED EMPEROR GRAPES 2 lbs. 25c

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CAKE FLOUR SOFT-AS-SILK pkg. 37c
MARSHMALLOWS PURITAN 10 oz. pkg. 19c
PRESERVES CRYSTAL PURE STRAWBERRY lb. jar 35c
GINGER ALE ROCK CREEK 3 lge. bots. 28c

WILKINS COFFEE
ALL GRINDS
lb. can 54c

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PLANTERS SALTED Peanuts 8 oz. can 31c
FANCY Brazil Nuts lb. pkg. 39c
DIAMOND LARGE WALNUTS lb. pkg. 47c
DIXIANA PAPER SHELL PECANS lb. pkg. 39c
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D.C. Doctors Heckle AMA Head on Levy

Five Stricken

Aid Possible For Atomic Eye Injuries

Eye operations and special glasses may save the sight of scientists going blind from atomic radiation, the medical director of the Atomic Energy Commission said here yesterday.

At the same time, he warned that other physicists who pioneered nuclear fission may find their sight impaired by "radiation cataracts" that develop 6 to 10 years after initial exposure.

Dr. Shields Warren, director of AEC's division of biology and medicine, made the pronouncements in view of already published reports that at least five physicists who worked with cyclotrons, atom-smashing machines, have developed such cataracts.

Techniques Available

These five, as well as their contemporary workers who may develop similar cataracts, need not become permanently blind, said Dr. Shields. Surgical techniques are available by which the injured lens can be removed and their loss compensated by special glasses, he explained.

To dispel any public fear that all atomic energy workers face similar dangers, Dr. Warren said the radiation exposures of the five already stricken were apparently due to chances they took when their atom smashers broke down during the early days of atomic development.

Since then, he said, more is known of the dangers, and more safeguards have been imposed.

Number Limited

Although the number of other scientists who may have been exposed to the eye-damaging rays is unknown, said Dr. Shields, that number would be limited to the "small band" of physicists who have been working with cyclotrons.

"Therefore, not many are in jeopardy," he added. "We can only hope they will be exempt."

Dr. Warren's statements were backed up by Dr. Lauriston Taylor, chief of the commission's biophysics section, who attended yesterday's special press conference.

Declining to identify the known stricken, they said three worked at the University of Illinois, one at Massachusetts Institute of Technology and another at the Carnegie Institution of Washington, D. C. Officials of the Carnegie Institution here also declined to disclose identity of their stricken physicist.

Dr. George F. Lull, general manager of the American Medical Association, last night told District physicians the purpose of their recent assessment by AMA—and became the target for a barrage of hostile questions.

The District Medical Society meeting, which brought a record turnout, was arranged, it was understood, to quell murmurs of discontent over the AMA-voted assessment of $25 a physician to fight national compulsory health insurance.

Most frequent write-in question submitted after Dr. Lull's explanation, concerned what action might be taken by the AMA against members who refused to pay the levy. Would they be expelled?

Disciplinary Action

The Chicago physician said the constitution of the association did not provide for expulsion automatically, but did empower its judiciary committee "to take whatever disciplinary action it sees fit."

Many of the questions pointedly criticized the speed with which the resolution recommending the assessment was adopted two weeks ago in closed session of AMA's House of Delegates, and asked if a membership referendum couldn't be taken.

Unseemly haste was denied by Dr. Lull, who said that the assessment question had been discussed "for the past four to five years." It was first made in resolution form at the recent meeting, he admitted.

Spokesman for the dissenters at last night's meeting was Dr. Thomas E. Mattingly, Washington practicing physician, challenged Dr. Lull's assertion that voluntary medical insurance plans could fill the country's need for medical services.

'Only Help Fortunate'

"Such plans," declared Dr. Mattingly, "fall far short of social needs. They only help the fortunate and the solvent."

In his answer to one question, Dr. Lull declared:

"We are not trying to protect a self-interest; we are trying to protect the American public against political medicine."

Numerous requests of members present to call for a show of hands on those opposing the assessment aroused protests against such a vote, and the request was sidetracked.

Before the question session started, Dr. Lull told the physicians that "any scheme of political medicine would be a catastrophe for the American people."

Form of Socialized Medicine

"Compulsory sickness insurance, as proposed in Federal Security Administrator Oscar Ewing's 10-year health plan," he said, is a variety of socialized medicine or state medicine and possesses the evils inherent in any politically controlled system.

"Doctors everywhere," declared Dr. Lull, "are convinced that voluntary medical care insurance can and will solve the economic problems of the distribution of medical care within the existing framework of private enterprise."

Of the assessment, he said:

Fund to Educate Public

"The fund will be used largely to educate the American public to the advantage of the present system of free enterprise in securing a wide distribution of a high quality of medical care."

Dr. Lull said that the A.M.A constitution provides for such assessments, and further defended it on the ground that A. M. A. members pay no dues unless they are fellows of the Scientific Assembly. Of the association's 130,000 members, he said, some 70,000 are fellows, and pay $12 a year and receive 52 issues of the Journal of the American Medical Association.

7 Scientists Held Martyrs To Red Order

By Howard W. Blakeslee
Associated Press Science Editor

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—Five scientists dead, apparently martyrs, and two more probably dead in Russia's genetics dispute was the score given today by Dr. H. J. Muller.

The dispute seems to be on heredity versus environment.

Dr. Muller, of Indiana University, and America's foremost heredity authority, is a personal friend of the missing Russians. He worked as senior geneticist in Moscow from 1933 to 1937. He tells the score in the Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists of Chicago.

He says the Russians are not dealing with a real scientific controversy.

Basis of Dispute

Geneticists have found that heredity is the raw material. Environment is the sculptor.

The sculptor can improve any person during his life span. The question is whether your children get the benefit.

Yes, says science, but not through heredity. They get it the same as you, by use of environment.

Dr. Muller says the Soviet attacked the freedom of its geneticists in 1936. The attack was climaxed in 1938, when the Communist Central Committee decreed that heredity transmits to your children the improvements you make in your character.

Roster of Scientists

The two scientists probably dead are Solomon Levit and Agol. Dr. Mueller says the latter was "done away with" in 1936. Levit that year told Muller that he had made a false confession that his genetic beliefs were wrong.

Dead, of causes unknown, Muller says, are Karpechenko, Koltzoff, Serebrovsky and Levitsky.

Nicolai I. Vavilov, the great Russian geneticist, died in 1942. This, Muller says, was after his health had been broken in a concentration camp.

Marcel Peyrouton Cleared of Treason

Paris, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Marcel Peyrouton, secretary general of the interior in the Vichy government of Marshal Petain, was acquitted today by a Paris court on charges of high treason.

Peyrouton allegedly was responsible for the wartime imprisonment of President Vincent Auriol and other present government leaders.

The court deliberated only one hour after hearing two days of testimony.

Bergen Admits CBS Deal Is Considered

Hollywood, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Comedian Edgar Bergen, who announced two weeks ago that he and Charlie McCarthy were quitting radio, admitted today that a deal with Columbia Broadcasting System was "in the talking stage."

Bergen, who makes his last National Broadcasting Co. broadcast Sunday, said the deal hinged mostly on the rest of the line-up for Sunday night and on his getting a sponsor.

If he did make a deal, Bergen said, he wouldn't start his show until fall. He said he wanted to give radio a chance to figure out which way it was going.

VD Campaign Expected to Show Increase in Number of Cases Reported in District

District venereal disease cases reported in fiscal year 1948 were near 1947 figures—but will probably increase sharply next fiscal year, health authorities reported yesterday.

Dr. S. Ross Taggart, director of the District VD Bureau, pointed out in a release based on recent United States Public Health Service figures:

The 1948 figures do not reflect the effect of the current, year-long drive to curb VD. The drive, [illegible] ms, was not launched until July 1, while the fiscal year ended June 30.

"Very likely the next fiscal year will produce more reported cases as a result of the educational campaign," Dr. Taggart said.

Leveling Off Seen

Dr. Taggart, however, expressed the belief that 1948 figures marked a leveling off of the long-term trend of increasing incidence of VD here.

Gonorrhea cases reported in fiscal 1948 were 12,518 against 12,252 in 1947. Syphilis cases declined in 1948 to 3916 from 4245 the previous year.

On the basis of these figures, Washington rose from the rank of fourth to third place among cities reporting gonorrhea cases—outnumbered only by Chicago and New York with populations more than three and nine times greater.

In reported syphilis cases, Washington moved up from ninth to eighth place among United States cities. It also moved up from fourth to second place among cities of less than a million population.

D. C. Reports More Accurate

These figures should be interpreted in light of the fact that reporting of VD cases in Washington is more accurate than in most cities of comparable size, Dr. Taggart stated. A higher percentage of victims elsewhere go to private doctors rather than public clinics and often physicians do not report cases treated—"so they never become statistics," Dr. Taggart said.

He estimated there are about 36,000 VD victims in Washington today and only about half are undergoing treatment.

Low social and economic conditions of Washington's tenement population and the large transient population here probably account for the high VD rate, Dr. Taggart surmised. "Transients are more likely to change sex partners when they come to a new city and often bring infection with them," he explained.

Reporting on the curb-VD campaign to date, Dr. Tagart revealed:

Nearly 6000 vials of penicillin have been sent free to 167 District physicians who have treated 1718 cases.

More than 1200 area residents have been referred to private physicians or clinics by operators answering Metropolitan 4600, the VD information number of the Health Department. Calls have increased two and one-half fold since July.

Admissions to the three free VD clinics averaged more than 1300 a month during October and November, a 28 per cent increase.

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Records Show Physician Shot A Rival Before

Houston, Tex., Dec. 22 (AP).—County Probation Director W. E. Robertson today released official records of a 15-year-old case which he said involved Dr. Robert Rutledge, now charged with murder in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Robertson said the records were ordered released to newspapers this afternoon by County Judge Glenn Perry, presiding judge of the county juvenile court.

Rutledge, who attended public schools and Rice Institute in Houston, was charged December 20 this year in Cedar Rapids with first-degree murder in the December 14 knife slaying of Byron C. Hattman, 29, a bachelor who was a rival for the affections of Rutledge's attractive wife.

Judged Delinquent as Boy

In St. Louis, December 20, Rutledge was released under a $5000 bond. He announced through an attorney he would not waive extradition to Iowa.

Soon after bond was obtained, the 27-year-old physician was dismissed from a St. Louis hospital where he had been under treatment for the effects of poison he swallowed Friday when arrested.

Records released by Robertson here today show that on October 20, 1933, Rutledge, then 12 years old, was judged a delinquent by the court and placed on probation to his parents.

Probation authorities had filed a complaint that Rutledge was delinquent in that on October 8, 1933, he had shot a neighborhood boy friend.

The 14-year-old friend was described as a close acquaintance and Rutledge's "immediate rival over affections of a 12½-year-old girl."

Treated at Child Clinic

From the date of the shooting until his appearance in court, Rutledge had been held in the Harris County School for Boys, a boys' home which since has been abandoned.

The court also ordere dthat the youth continue treatment at the Houston Child Giudance Clinic, then directed by Dr. J. M. Cunningham.

On June 20, 1934, Cunningham wrote R. C. Roebuck, then county probation director:

"We are closing the case of Robert Rutledge. I am very happy to state that the solution of this boy's difficulties has worked out quite admirably.

"The boy himself is much happier, is much more independent and capable of forming mature judgments and of handling his own affairs."

While investigating the case for the probation department the previous year, Cunningham wrote Roebuck on October 19, 1933:

". . . In many things, he (Rutledge) is more mature than other children, especially in reading and scientific interests. . . . He has not had much experience in learning to get along with other children, and is consequently much more immature in social relationships than in other things. . .

"As far as welfare of society is concerned, I don't believe there is any likelihood of a recurrence of this offense by this child. The upsetting character of this whole experience for this boy is such as to militate against any recurrence of such behavior."

In making recommendations, he said Rutledge was "too sensitive" to be placed in a reform school.

Admitted Jealousy of Rival

"As far as the welfare of the boy is concerned," he said, "and what will make him the most responsible as a future citizen, I believe returning him to his home in this community would have a more beneficial effect."

The shooting involved in the probation case occurred at the home of a young girl. The victim, hospitalized with a leg injury, recovered.

On October 10, 1933, the Houston Post said Roebuck and Deputy Probation Director Paul White quoted Rutledge as saying: "I was jealous of him. He was beating my time and I shot him."

It's Christmas—at This Boys' Club

The Washington Post

POLICE INSPECTOR PLAYS SANTA—The youngsters of southwest Washington who belong to Police Boys Club 4 had a Christmas preview last night. It was the first Yuletide party of the new club. Police Inspector George R. Wallrodt passes out candy gifts to eager hands

Dulles Praises Rights Action By Assembly

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—John Foster Dulles said tonight he considered the adoption of a universal declaration of human rights the most important "concrete action" of the recent U. N. General Assembly session.

"That came about," he said in an address for the NBC network, "because the United Nations is not designed merely to serve and protect nations but also it is concerned with the individual human beings that make up the nations."

By adopting the declaration, he said, "the United Nations Assembly has established a universal human goal toward which the nations and the peoples can strive together in fellowship."

Regarding armaments, the acting chairman of the American U. N. delegation said that by rejecting a Russian proposal for arms reductions and the destruction of atomic piles and bombs "the small nations made it apparent that they wanted the United States to be strong, and that they regarded our strength as a protection, not a menace."

Vote Recount In Arlington Turned Down

A three-judge panel yesterday rejected a petition to recount votes in Arlington's November 2 election.

At stake was the hotly contested Arlington County Board seat for which Alfred E. Frisbie, the incumbent, defeated I. Lee Potter by only 129 votes.

The recount suit was brought by 20 county residents, who claimed election irregularities at eight of Arlington's 24 precincts.

Thet main charge alleged that several of the precincts used more election officials than authorized by law.

Speaking for the three judges, Arlington Circuit Court Judge Walter T. McCarthy yesterday called the election practice "not strictly in compliance with the statutes."

But, he said, the three judges were unable to find any evidence of incorrect election tallies, as charged by the petitioners. Even conceding all points alleged in the petition, he said, the election returns would not be changed materially.

To correct what they termed election "deviations," the judges suggested:

1. Steps be taken immediately to petition the (Arlington Circuit) court to establish additional voting precincts in the county, and

2. That the Virginia State Legislature be asked to amend election laws to permit appointment of additional election officials.

The panel said any action ruling the election count illegal would affect adversely the election-approved $4,750,000 county school bond issue as well as other issues.

Members of the panel, in addition to Judge McCarthy, were Judge Harold F. Snead of Richmond Circuit Court and Judge Richard T. Wilson of the Petersburg Hustings Court.

Man Who Bombed U. N. Is Released From Jail

Mineola, N. Y., Dec. 22 (AP).—Stephen J. Supina, 36, former Air Force veteran, who last July exploded a homemade bomb over United Nations headquarters, was released from jail today. Supina said he dropped the crude bomb from a rented plane to "wake up" the U. N. to the need for world peace.

Truman Won't Talk About Executions

Kansas City, Dec. 22 (AP).—President Truman declined comment tonight on the hanging of Hideki Tojo and six other Japanese warlords.

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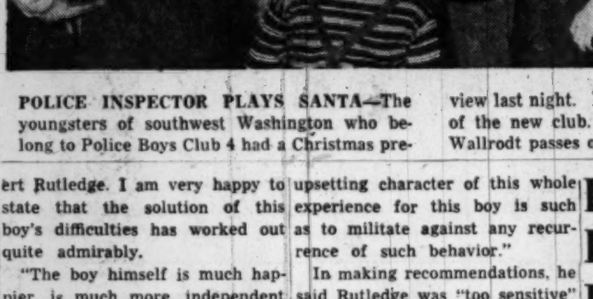

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POTATOES Garden Midget Candied Sweet	2 8 oz. cans	27c
SWEET PEAS Perlo Small	303 can	25c
SAUERKRAUT Perlo	2 No. 2½ cans	29c
CRANBERRY SAUCE Perlo Fancy	2 16 oz. cans	31c
RAISINS Valley Seedless California	3 7 oz. pkgs.	23c
PET MILK Evaporated	tall can	15c
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N. Y. City Lobbyist

Mayor O'Dwyer's plan to send a full-time representative to Washington to speed action on legislation that would benefit New York City is a pioneering venture in the lobbying field which has heretofore been chiefly confined to private interests. However, the important aspect of this surprising move is not its novelty, but rather its recognition of the fact that municipalities are to an increasing extent turning to the Federal Government for help in financing local projects.

New York City, like other municipalities, is, as Mayor O'Dwyer says, in pressing need of funds for low-rent housing, schools and other public works. The mayor wants such aid to be given in future directly to the city instead of being routed through the State government. His appeal focuses attention on the significant changes that are occurring in the relationship of the Federal Government to State and municipal governments. The fact that the Federal Government is absorbing a great and increasing proportion of the taxes collected from the public naturally causes the municipalities to turn for relief to Federal Government rather than to their respective State governments which are suffering from Federal tax encroachments, anyway. Furthermore, the desire of city officials to establish direct contacts with the Federal authorities is strengthened by the growing restiveness of municipal governments under restrictive State laws that hamper their activities and by systems of taxation that preempt for State use revenues needed for local purposes.

It is evident, therefore, that Mayor O'Dwyer's lobbyist will have plenty of work to do when he arrives in Washington to urge passage of legislation designed especially for the benefit of urban populations, New York City in particular. But we hate to think of what might happen if other large cities were to follow Mayor O'Dwyer's lead and send a host of lobbyists to Washington for the purpose of persuading Congress to vote huge sums to finance municipal projects. Th ealready overburdened Federal budget might well crack under the strain.

Wire Tapping

Attorney General Clark's plea for more wire-tapping authority in hunting down spies appeared soon after several lawyer groups had protested the practice in a prostitution case in New York. The New York police obtained their evidence by eavesdropping on telephone conversations by means of a wire-tapping device and then swearing to the notes they had made of what was said. Whether this wire tapping in these cases was prompted by some suspicious circumstances, or whether they just stumbled across the evidence in course of a random check-up on the private affairs of the citizenry, is not clear. In any event, it was an expensive business, absorbing the time of officers who, in the opinion of many, might have been better employed in guarding the New York City parks.

Under the laws of the State of New York, the police are allowed to tap all telephone wires at their own discretion. It was probably not the intention of the Legislature that this power should be used in cases of such slight importance to the general safety of the citizens. The position of the police, however, is that every law must be enforced impartially whether the breach of it involves a felony or merely a misdemeanor. On this principle, it seems improbable that any of us could remain very long out of jail; for laws continue to multiply with every session of the Legislatures and every meeting of the city councils. No man is aware of more than a tiny fraction of all the statutes and ordinances he may be punished for violating. Such an attitude as that of the New York police can only further weaken the instinct of obedience, which is so powerful wherever law and custom are the same. Thus it merely aggravates rather than simplifies the tremendous problem with which the police of every large city are obliged to deal; and illustrates what Cicero had in mind when he spoke of the proliferation of laws as the "corruption of the Republic."

Now prostitution is without doubt an evil and a most persistent one; but with the possible exception of Geneva under Calvin, there has been hardly any urban civilization from which it has been eradicated. The best the police can hope for is to hold it in check, to see that it does not become an organized and vested interest, and that the young are protected from contact with it. For this neither the use of *agents provocateurs* nor wire-tapping apparatus is necessary, but merely a reasonable vigilance. Moreover, it would be difficult for the police to prove that public morality is not itself severely damaged instead of aided by the sort of publicity which is inevitably given to the sort of cases we have cited.

This growing tendency of the police to consider everyone a potential lawbreaker, who is therefore entitled to no privacy and may be spied upon in all situations and at all hours, must lead presently to a demand for power to employ devices more efficient than provocation and eavesdropping. After all, from the police point of view it would be simpler to introduce police spies into apartment houses and hotels as janitors or maintenance workers, into private households as domestic servants, and into offices as charwomen or secretaries or file clerks, so that no infraction of any ordinance would escape detection, no incriminating letter go unread. In short, does not the very logic of the police in these matters lead inevitably to the police state?

Reminding The Dutch

ECA action in suspending Marshall aid to the Dutch-held region in Indonesia no doubt reflects accurately the sentiments of the American people. At first glance the denials might seem aimed at the Indonesians as well as the Dutch. The United States, seeking to encourage the flow of raw materials out of the Indonesian treasure house, has been sending a line of consumer goods for distribution to the native population. However, the reproof, together with the withdrawal of the members of the non-Republican interim governments in the archipelago, may hasten the return of reason among the Dutch.

It so happens, indeed, that the Dutch themselves are authorities on the rule of reason. Theirs is the land of Grotius, Erasmus, and Spinoza. At the San Francisco Conference the present Ambassador to Washington, Mr. Van Kleffens, spoke in the accents of these great expositors of civilization. His was one of the loftiest contributions to the framing of the United Nations Charter. The problem was the formulation of an acceptable standard of conduct in international affairs. Himself at a loss to specify a standard, he said very simply and very appealingly that the Dutch had asked themselves "whether a reference to those feelings of right and wrong, those moral principles which live in every normal human heart, would not be enough?" The big powers undertook to find the requisite phraseology, to put it into the Charter, and to set up a commission on human rights. The exalted language in the Van Kleffens memorandum is applicable to the people of the Netherlands in their present behavior in Indonesia.

In the light of Dutch virtue, the "police action" is curious, and not susceptible of easy explanation. As we figure it, the Dutch are suffering from a case of the jitters. To greater or less degree the same disease is afflicting most countries which are trying to cope with communism, either externally or internally. It looks as if the Dutch were afraid of a Communist coup which would make their own position in Indonesia untenable. So they sought to nip it in the bud. Aside from the plain fact that this is the way to create the thing contemplated, succeeding events do not bear out Dutch fears. The "police" in one stroke were able to abstract the Republican government and put the members of it in custody. They are going through the Republican areas like a knife through butter. Surely the chastisement would have been just as easy after as well as in anticipation of a coup at Jogjakarta. And what would the Dutch have gained by waiting? Certainly more understanding than they have today—both from the world and from the people of Indonesia, Republican as well as non-Republican.

Laurence Duggan

How Laurence Duggan met his death, whatever were his connections with diplomats accused of document-peddling—these speculations are immaterial compared with the lamentable snuffing out of a young man of rich attainment and great promise. When he died he was only 43 years old. Eight years ago, when 35 years of age, he was political adviser to Secretary Hull, one of the half-dozen elite in equivalent positions to Secretary's Marshall's present planning board. He had risen to this eminence after 10 years of distinguished work in cementing our relations with Latin America. How successful he and his coworkers were in this field was attested in the remarkable demonstration of solidarity after Pearl Harbor. In 1944, Duggan gave up official service, and at his death was president of the Institute of International Education, a body founded in 1919 with a view to expediting the exchange of students and professors between the United States and foreign countries. The institute has nothing to do with the Carnegie Endowment, though this impression is being given by the sensation-seeking and sadistic Mr. Mundt, as if, in some curious way, this would damn both the young Duggan and his father, who was the institute's first president.

As an authority on Latin America, as well as America's top official in respect of that region, Mr. Duggan exerted great influence on policy. But he fell from Mr. Hull's grace, contrary to Mr. Sayre's encomium, over the question of recognizing the Villaroel regime in Bolivia. Duggan, who entertained reformist ideas, thought there might be progressive promise in the December 20, 1943, coup engineered by Maj. Gualberto Villaroel and a group of young army officers acting with the MNR (Movimiento Nacialista Revolutionario). The MNR was Fascist, in cahoots, moreover, with the Nazi-dominated governing clique in Buenos Aires. Villaroel got some sympathy in liberal circles in the United States because of a pledge to clean up bad labor conditions in the tin mines. Moved by this kind of talk, the stock in trade of the modern dictator in the sheep's clothing of a demagogue, Duggan headed the party in the State Department in favor of recognizing Villaroel even before elections. This was held to be the best way to divide Villaroel from the MNR and the pro-Nazis in Buenos Aires. The pro-Villaroel diplomats sent Ambassador Avra Warren to report on Villaroel, and Warren, now Minister to Finland, came back with a whitewashing. Secretary Hull, against Mr. Berle's advice, allowed himself to be overborne, though not without misgivings. Villaroel was recognized, but, contrary to Duggan's forecast, the elections were a triumph for MNR and its allies. A two-year reign of terror in La Paz—in some respects the worst in Latin-American history—ended in 1946 when the outraged Bolivians strung up the hated Villaroel on a lamppost.

Over several months in 1944 the Bolivian incident rocked the State Department and the Capital. But, though Secretary Hull revamped his Latin-American department when his misgivings were vindicated, the Secretary never gave any indication of doubt about Mr. Duggan's integrity. Nor did any of his associates. Indeed, one of these associates, who had been demoted for the part he played in fighting the Duggan policy, voluntarily telephoned *The Washington Post* on news of Duggan's death—knowing that *The Post* had ranged itself on the anti-Duggan side—and proffered the extraordinary tribute that he would rather trust "Larry" than himself. Mr. Duggan's mistake in 1944 was one of judgment, and everybody who is anybody makes such mistakes. Mr. Duggan, besides being a somebody, was of quiet and modest demeanor and a good and sensitive companion, and we offer our condolences to his family on a doubly tragic and untimely death.

Tojo And Shigemitsu

Hideki Tojo, together with six of his aides, has been executed by hanging. In him the Allies disposed of the hub of the Japanese conspiracy which made an inferno of all Asia and Oceania. Unlike other Axis warrior chiefs, however, Tojo was no Fuehrer. There was no such leadership in militaristic Japan, for Japanese institutions do not allow of individual inspiration. The Japanese are group-minded, and Tojo was only one, albeit the main one, of a ruling caste which inexorably led Dai Nippon into its cataclysmic war. Tojo found himself the object of execration after the surrender for betraying his country. He became almost a laughing stock when he tried unsuccessfully to shoot himself, though he managed to win back some of his reputation as a result both of his adroit handling of his defense and of the bumbling and unworthy methods with which the Allies pursued the trial. It took just two weeks short of two years to conclude proceedings which heard 11½ million words of testimony and argument.

The chief prosecutor, Mr. Joseph B. Keenan, is now back in this country, and his first comment deserves a compliment. He disagrees with the international court in imposing a seven-year term of imprisonment on Mamoru Shigemitsu and would have acquitted him. Shigemitsu was wartime Foreign Minister of Japan and signed the surrender on *U. S. S. Missouri*. The case against him—indeed, the cases against all the accused—has been inadequately reported, and because of lack of information, the outsider could not very well pass upon the protracted proceedings and the final judgments. Many Americans simply felt uneasy both about the trial and about the sentences against the civilian prisoners. Now, Mr. Keenan adds to our knowledge about Shigemitsu and encourages us to speak out against at least his conviction.

Mr. Keenan says that but for the Russians Shigemitsu would not have been tried, let alone convicted. What the Russians had against him in particular is unclear. Mr. Keenan seems to think that Shigemitsu's leading part in the surrender infuriated the Russians. It must be remembered, however, that Mr. Shigemitsu used to be Ambassador to Moscow, and there may be reasons in his conduct there for Russian hostility. Certainly those who knew Shigemitsu could testify to his awareness of Soviet designs. He had a Western orientation, and his knowledgeability and sincerity impressed most Westerners with whom he came in contact. In London, where he served as Ambassador just before war broke out, he had Mr. Churchill's friendship; and Mr. Joseph Grew, last American Ambassador to Japan, was glad to testify from contact in Tokyo to Shikemitsu's honesty.

What happened later has been hidden from view by the curtain of war. Mr. Keenan pulls this aside, and confirms the faith that a host of foreigners retained in Shigemitsu even in the darkest days. Mr. Keenan says, "He was quite different from any other accused in that it clearly appeared he opposed the war against the United States, the British Commonwealth, and the Netherlands. He voiced his opposition at a time when it was dangerous as a Japanese for him to do so." Why he joined the Tojo cabinet in 1944, we don't profess to know, though this was long after hostilities began. He may have thought that in this position he might be able to expedite a peace from the defeat which he knew was inevitable before he joined the government.

Shigemitsu knew this not only out of his comprehensive experience and unclouded mind; he knew it as a member of the Japanese clan from which most of the high navy officers sprang. The navy men were not the warmongers. When the late Admiral Yamamoto, Japan's commander in chief, was asked about the prospect of war with America, he is reputed to have said that if Japan could not beat America in the first 12 months, America was bound to win. But, with Yamamoto most of the time at sea, and the provincial-minded army clique in control, there was no restraint. Japanese office-holders and public men have a habit of "going along" with the prevailing opinion, and this, of course, applies to the Japanese people. Most of the death sentences, including the one on Tojo, were imposed for complicity in atrocities. The tribunal carried absurdity to extremes in convicting Foreign Minister Shigemitsu on this charge as well as on the charge that as a later member of Tojo's government he was accessory to aggression. General MacArthur could alleviate the near-debacle of the trial by commuting the sentenes upon Shigemitsu.

Cold Wave

Letters To The Editor

Communications must be addressed to the editor and must carry the complete name and street address of the writer, though pen names will be permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters of less than 200 words will be given preference, and all letters are subject to condensation. No communication can be returned.

Following The Polls

As a newspaperman, I have wondered if reports of what is public opinion influence public opinion, and perhaps shape it; and, collaterally, if the newspapers printing the polls are doing their readers a disservice, however unwittingly.

Consider Mr. A., a member of the House from, say, Illinois. He has a large constituency, and concerning any controversial question the information from his district is, to say the least, conflicting. Let us say that in respect of a particular question he is satisfied in his own mind what his vote should be, and he learns from the latest poll that 69.4 per cent of the people in his section indorse a course to which he is opposed.

How does Mr. A. vote? Regardless of the extent of his knowledge, he doubts his ability to educate his constituents before the next election, if ever, because the poll has ranged a large majority against him. Does he yield his own judgment to what the poll says the majority desires, justifying himself with the thought that he will save his forthrightness for a major issue?

If Mr. A. follows that course, he takes a step momentarily painless, toward rule by a mob. It seems to me the newspapers give the polls an emphasis which encourages our leaders to put a premium on intellectual laziness and shallow thinking, to distrust their own capacity to think and lead, and to cater to the popular whim.

It is not enough to contend in printing the polls the newspapers do not necessarily subscribe to the findings. Any newspaper reader who noted that the editorial page regularly disagreed with the polls in the news columns would question why the paper printed the polls if the editors did not have confidence in the reported results. And it would be a fair question, because the newspapers have made much of the public service character of the polls. Are we to suspect that editorial pages tend to substitute for the editors' thinking what the polls say the people are thinking?

Even if accurate, the polls would not tend to create an atmosphere encouraging courageous action and informed comment and interpretation. In government and in editorial rooms we ought to have the services of men and women who have not only the courage of their convictions, but also the mental equipment and integrity of purpose with which to arrive at sound convictions. Following the polls is not a route to that kind of service to the public.

HUNT CLEMENT, JR.
Greensboro, N. C.

Censoring Films

Since when has the principle of separation of church and state applied to education and media? Mr. John C. Rogers (letter published December 16) is grossly ignorant of the role that the church plays in our daily life when he censures its actions regarding the dissemination of books, motion pictures and other forms of expression. I presume Mr. Rogers' interpretation of "church and state" means that religious bodies would be prevented from interferring with the circulation of salacious and offensive comic books and novels, degrading films, and immoral plays.

In 1946 the American Council of Education declared:

"The core of meaning in the doctrine of separation of church and state we believe to be this: there shall be no ecclesiastical control of political dictation in the ecclesiastical sphere, except as public safety or public morals may require it."

This separation-of-church-and-state business has become a sort of slogan in recent years, unchallenged, and passing sometimes as "a great American tradition," sometimes as a "constitutional principle." Actually, it is neither. And yet to question it is to lay oneself open to the suspicion of harboring some sinister plot or other against the welfare of our republic.

THEODORE L. HUMES.
Washington.

Government Parking

When this writer first came to Washington, it did not take long to see the great lack of parking facilities in the downtown area, and especially in the areas of the many Government buildings. The persons responsible for such crowding of these large office buildings into so small a space, with no thought to the parking problems of the people working in them, had not exercised very keen foresight.

But, alas, relief is not in sight. The largest parking lot in downtown Washington, at 4th st. and Constitution ave., is now being readied for a new court building. It has been said that some old buildings on Indiana ave. will be torn down and moved to provide new parking space, but it is not believed that this new lot will replace the old in space.

Another alarming item is the future building of the new GAO office just across the street from the present one. Why build any more Government buildings downtown when things are so cluttered up now? Why not put some more Government buildings out on the edge of town, like the Pentagon and Suitland?

LEONARD W. VARNER, JR.
Washington.

Government Monotony

A recent article about the Hoover Commission stated that something was going to be done about making Government work more interesting and about rotating the supervisors from one department to another. In other words, to promote them if they showed promise.

If Mr. Hoover can stir up the Government service and make it alive like private industry, then he will have been a greater man than a mere President of these United States could ever hope to be.

In the first place, Government service has no dollar incentive; it does not have to show a profit or go out of business. The little man, the ordinary worker never knows if the particular work he is doing is a success or a failure.

The average Government worker is like an inmate of one of our Federal prisons. The poor fellow with no hope of any change develops "chronophobia," fear of time. It is like anxiety at the fighting front. First there is hope, uncertainty, a studied indifference, a carefree attitude. Then comes the realization of the true duration of the stretch that must be served.

A good start would be to let the supervisor fire the employes under him without taking it to several other people; also to let the poor devils move around a bit; also to let the agencies hire their personnel outright.

They still use the old-time patronage system on Capitol Hill, and up there can be found the best looking and most efficient personnel in Washington.

If the civil service and its carloads of printed matter on personnel turns up with the type of worker that we find in Government, then is it worth the trouble and expense?

RICHARD T. ROWE.
Arlington.

"Twelfth Reprieve"

Your December 6 editorial, "Twelfth Reprieve," criticized the long delays between an arrest in a capital case and execution, and was highly critical of the actions of counsel. Frankly, I am somewhat surprised at the language of this editorial.

Under our system of jurisprudence every safeguard is thrown around an accused. A man convicted has the right to appeal and can apply to the Supreme Court for review if constitutional questions are involved. Then there is a right to apply for executive clemency. Also, under the decisions of the United States Supreme Court, expanding and liberalizing the functions of a writ of habeas corpus, a collateral attack can be made on the judgment. Therefore if there is a criticism to be made in the delays, that criticism should be directed to the Supreme Court of the United States.

However, at least four justices of the Supreme Court have steadfastly expoused the cause of civil rights and have come to the rescue of the poor and the oppressed. I feel sure that if Wheeler and Patton had been persons of wealth every possible avenue would have been explored and in so doing the lawyers would not have been subject to criticism. In the instant case both of them were penniless, and Mr. Mitchell and I were carrying on the fight without compensation. We simply felt that it was our duty.

If we try to restrict the matter to civil rights or the matter of personal liberty in an individual case, then in course of time all that has been accomplished may be undone. There was no doubt in my mind as to the guilt of the defendants. I also know that the deceased was a man of excellent standing and there was absolutely no excuse for the killing. However, that is quite apart from the main issue involved. The Supreme Court has said in *Chambers v. State of Fla.*, 309 U. S. 227.

"Today, as in ages past, we are not without tragic proof that the exalted power of some governments to punish manufactured crime dictatorially is the hand-maid of tyranny. Under our constitutional system, courts stand against any winds that blow as havens of refuge for those who might otherwise suffer because they are helpless, weak, outnumbered, or because they are non-conforming victims of prejudice and public excitement . . . No higher duty, no more solemn responsibility, rests upon this court, than that of translating into living law and maintaining this constitutional shield deliberately planned and inscribed for the benefit of ever, human being subject to our Constitution—of whatever race, creed or persuasion."

Therefore, we should be thankful that all constitutional safeguards surround an accused. We should also be thankful that the United States Supreme Court has seen fit to liberalize the function of the precious writ of habeas corpus. Surely you do not want to curtail this.

We must also keep in mind that in the midst of total war we did not suspend the writ of habeas corpus. Great Britain did suspend the writ of habeas corpus and the result is well known. Persons were apprehended on mere suspicion and held in jail for weeks and months and years without a judicial inquiry into the legality of their detention.

JAMES J. LAUGHLIN.
Washington.

Clearing The Divorce Maze

By Malvina Lindsay

One Law Or None?

UNLESS SOME member of the Eighty-first Congress picks up the torch, the fight for a Federal uniform divorce law that Senator Arthur Capper carried on for a quarter century will have ended. In face of constant congressional apathy, or perhaps fear of touching a socially hot potato, Senator Capper, now retiring, persistently pushed his bill for a constitutional amendment to permit Federal legislation that would clear up the 48-State jungle of divorce laws.

There is now a tendency to approach the problem by more gradual means, or even through social science rather than laws. An attempt may be made to have Congress pass a law requiring all States to honor "honestly" obtained divorces issued in other States. Or uniform residence requirements for divorce in all States may be sought. Or the family court manned by experts may be tried out.

But the basic problem will have to be grappled with eventually. For the confusion grows worse as millions of veterans bring their family financial entanglements to Federal agencies, and as population shifts. A recent tightening up on marriage and divorce laws by many State Legislatures—though not by those in divorce mill States—further complicates the status of divorced persons who leave State boundaries.

BUT COULD a Federal divorce law that would pass Congress ever be evolved? Many think not. Yet Senator Capper accepted the challenge and suggested one.

Right now New York State is demonstrating the difficulty of this problem. Its law, dating substantially from 1787, permits divorce for no cause except adultery. This has become largely a mockery through its circumventions—by collusion, perjury, fraudulent annulments, poor man's divorce (desertion) and journeys to Reno. Yet moral and emotional controversy over a new law makes the prospect of change dubious.

Both men's and women's bar groups in New York City have drawn up model divorce laws. They list generally the same causes, as: extreme cruel and inhuman treatment, such willful conduct on the part of one spouse as may render it unsafe to cohabit; abandonment; nonsupport; conviction of a felony; imprisonment; habitual intemperance. The men's bill added a safeguard against easy divorce by several residential provisions. It is significant that the causes listed in both these bills agree so largely with those suggested by Senator Capper for a Federal bill.

People are recognizing more and more that law is not the main answer to divorce. The National Association of Women Lawyers, which has strongly supported a Federal divorce law, has also been trying to stop divorce before it reaches the courts. A year and a half ago this group started widespread domestic relations clinics to which members gave their services.

A RECENT report from these clinics showed how divorce was being generated, particularly among families doubled up because of the housing shortage, and also in families that were having to lower living standards—often because the husband had been an officer during wartime at a higher salary than he now received.

The American Bar Association has denounced divorce laws generally as "rotten" because they result in so much trickery and deceit. It advocates that family courts on the order of juvenile courts be set up to find out if ailing marriages can be saved, and to decide what is best for the family. If a case was hopeless a divorce would be granted. These courts would be staffed with specialist judges, psychiatrists and marriage counselors. The bar association also has recommended that the President set up a commission to reexamine marriage and divorce laws, which it terms a "mess."

One argument against Federal action on the divorce problem has been that marriage and divorce are community problems, and that regional differences exist in social attitudes. Yet with transportation constantly eliminating distance, with industrial change causing shifts in population, with movies, radio and television drawing people together, regionalism is lessening. But even if it were not, the legal mixups over children, alimony, inheritances, wills and taxes resulting from John Jones' dubious state of matrimony in varying localities, is of concern to everyone, especially taxpayers.

Eye Bank

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EAMES MacVEIGH.
Washington.

The Tokyo Trials

A Communication

THE HEARING which the United States Supreme Court has given to defense counsel representing several former Japanese war leaders occasions a reconsideration of the validity of the Allied Powers' endeavors to implement the terms of the Potsdam Declaration of meting out "stern justice to all war criminals" through the recently concluded proceedings before the International Military Tribunal for the Far East.

Among the principles forming the foundation for the proceedings before the Tokyo Tribunal are some of widely questioned validity. There are questions, for example, of the criminality of wars of aggression which are undefined, of the personal responsibility of an accused acting in his official capacity or pursuant to orders of his government or of a superior, and of the *ex post facto* nature of much of the proceedings.

THESE AND other issues of legal principle have already received considerable attention among those interested in the prosecution of war crimes, and so will be passed by here in favor of the question of the conduct of the Tokyo proceedings from the viewpoint of the defense, a question which has not received proper attention.

This is the point of consideration: aside from issues of legal principles raised by the Tokyo proceedings, did the defendants receive adequate representation?

Back in June of 1946, when the Tokyo trial was getting under way, six American defense attorneys, including the then chief American defense counsel, Navy Capt. Beverly M. Coleman, requested General MacArthur to relieve them of their duty as members of the American defense panel. Their reasons for this action, which have heretofore been withheld from the public as a matter of propriety during the conduct of the trial in Tokyo, are summed up in the language of these six attorneys in a memorandum to General MacArthur of May 31, 1946, as follows: "It is regarded as inevitable that the functioning of the defense panel, as a whole, and as presently organized and constituted, will be of such a low order of competence, industry and propriety, as to preclude any effective or adequate defense of the accused."

The basic faults in the defense setup which moved Captain Coleman and Messrs. Norris H. Allen, Valentine B. Deale, John W. Guider, Joseph F. Hynes and C. Talbot Young to take their drastic action were: (1) There was not a sufficient number of American lawyers of "suitable experience and qualifications to assure the Japanese defendants proper representation and adequate defense" and (2) there was no authoritative basis for a sound administrative organization for the American defense panel.

ACCORDING TO the six attorneys, the Japanese equivalents of our Forrestals and Pattersons, our Hulls and Harrimans, our Marshalls and Eisenhowers, and our Kings and Nimitzes should have had a far better defense panel than the one afforded them, and it was further believed that an administrative organization should have been provided for whereby some reasonable supervision or control over the American defense attorneys might have been exercised so as to enable a coordination of their energies into an effectively operating team.

There is no intention here to derogate from the efforts of individual members of the American defense panel who remained in Tokyo and did their jobs conscientiously. The point is simply that six American attorneys withdrew from the Tokyo proceedings because of their belief that the defendants would not be properly represented in view of the then existing circumstances.

Furthermore, from all that has been able to be determined during the intervening 2½ years, from news stories, inquiries to the war crimes section of the Army Department, and conversations with returning members of the defense panel, the international prosecution section and the secretariat, there appears to have been no notable official effort to remedy the disgraceful situation which six American attorneys believed stigmatized the American defense panel at the beginning of the trial.

GENERAL MacArthur's attitude toward the issues raised by the six attorneys was one of detachment. The General took the position that the American Government and the Allied Powers had no responsibility for the organization of the defense other than to make attorneys available. The General chose to dissociate himself from the statements of the six attorneys relating to the questionable efficiency of some of the members of the defense panel and indicated that any manifest lack of proficiency on the part of any of the American defense attorneys was a proper subject of attention for the tribunal and the defendants.

The tribunal also chose to remain detached, contrary however to the feelings of Mr. Justice John P. Higgins, the American judge at the time. Moreover, because it desired to be in no way associated with either prosecution or defense activities, the tribunal ordered the general secretary to abolish the defense division which he had established in the secretariat.

Both the tribunal's and General MacArthur's narrow views of their respective obligations to see to it that there was a fair trial placed an unconscionable burden upon the defendants and their Japanese counsel. Briefly, the Japanese did not know what the trial was about.

Japanese lawyers as a group were thoroughly unacquainted with Anglo-American legal procedure. They did not know what it meant to make a real defense for their clients. A prevailing idea of the duty of a criminal defense attorney was, figuratively speaking, to put flowers gracefully on his client's grave.

TO EXPECT Japanese defendants to care adequately for their own defense in an Anglo-American trial prosecuted by lawyers skilled in criminal procedure was an absurdity which cannot be justified by legalistic verbiage about the right of defendants to conduct their own defense. The fact of the matter was that if the accused before the Tokyo tribunal were to receive a fair trial, it would be because of American counsel assigned to them by American authority.

The incredible lack of earnest concern over the defense setup by proper authorities can be illustrated with a few factual examples taken from the early history of the American defense panel. For instance, the international prosecution section was a going organization by January, 1946, with a 27-year-old Navy lieutenant named as its acting chief; by the middle of May, after the serving of the indictment and the arraignment of the accused, the American attorneys allotted to the defense panel were still arriving. On the day of arraignment when the defendants first appeared in open court, there were on hand six American defense attorneys to represent them, and at the same time six of the defendants did not even have Japanese counsel.

Again the international prosecution section had interviewed Tojo, for example, 51 times between January and the first week in April, when the Japanese leader was first seen by an American defense attorney. Moreover, until a week of the time of indictment, Japanese defense attorneys as a practical matter, did not have access to Sugamo prison, where most of the then prospective defendants had been confined.

THE PROFOUND confusion of the Tokyo proceedings, both in point of principle and in point of practice, is a theme which might well be developed and moralized upon. Suffice it to conclude here, however, that the following appraisal of the trial by Shumei Okawa, one of the original accused who was adjudged insane shortly after arraignment, represents a viewpoint of more than ordinary interest:

"This trial is a kind of tactics. It is a natural action and not a moral action. Suppose one throws a ball and it falls. Then we can see the ball stop (bouncing). But actually it rolls on a little while by inertia. In the same way the war is going on yet. It is not an ordinary court. It is a continuation of the war . . . You can kill people by any means. It is more advantageous to kill by means of such a trial than with a gun . . . God's judgment is justice. That is morality. Now this trial is not an ordinary court. As I said before, the criterion of judgment is not bad or good. That is moral. The standard of judgment is useful or useless."

VALENTINE B. DEALE.
Washington.

Editor's note: Mr. Deale is the former acting chief American defense counsel under the International Military Tribunal in Japan.

Postman Who Delayed Vote Bids 'Just Tired'

Chicago, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Substitute Mail Carrier Thomas Skeoch, 28, was placed on a year's probation today for delaying delivery of Senator-elect Paul H. Douglas' campaign literature before the November election.

He was asked in court if he failed to deliver the literature for political reasons.

"No, I was just tired," Skeoch replied.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"Okay, you don't want to go to the movies—we can argue about it while we're watching the picture."

Foreign Drain On Resources Of U. S. Eases

An easing of the impact of foreign demand on the United States economy was reported by the Commerce Department yesterday.

Economic improvement abroad was coupled with a lessening of inflationary pressures at home.

Slackening of the foreign drain on United States resources showed up chiefly in this observation by the department:

There was a 300-million-dollar decline during the July-September period, as compared with the previous three months, in the surplus of United States receipts from exports of goods and services and United States income from foreign investments. The United States receipts totaled four billion dollars, lowest quarterly total since 1946.

These receipts exceeded the foreign take from the United States on similar accounts by $1,300,000,000 in the July-September quarter, a 60 per cent drop below the peak reached in the April-June period of 1947.

The department, in a summary of the balance of paymnts on United States international transactions for the third quarter, also reported:

The United States Government paid for a greater amount of foreign purchases here as the European Recovery Program was accelerated. United States foreign aid grants rose to $1,242,000,000 in the July-September period from 795 million dollars in the previous three months.

With increased help in that form, foreign countries did not have to dig so deeply into their gold reserves and dollar assets to square their United States accounts. their reserve holdings went down only 200 million dollars in the July-September period, compared with 600 million dollars the preceding quarter.

Felton Resigns Post on Security Resources Board

The National Security Resources Board announced yesterday that George E. Felton, Boston industrialist, had resigned as director of the board's office of production.

Felton has had the job of getting plans under way to mobilize industry in the event of another war. In a letter of resignation to acting board chairman John R. Steelman, he said the work is "well along."

He added that he had accepted the post last July with the understanding that he would survive only six months. He is returning to private business.

Steelman named Edward V. Hickey, another Boston man, to take Felton's place temporarily. Hickey has been a special assistant to Felton.

CIO Promotes Lavelle

William Lavelle, Columbus, Ohio, was appointed yesterday as an assistant in the legislative department of the Congress of Industrial Organizations. He is secretary-treasurer of the Ohio CIO Industrial Union Council.

Westinghouse Agrees to End Brake 'Trust'

New York, Dec. 21 (AP).—A Federal judge today signed a consent decree and judgment against the Westinghouse Air Brake Co. ending alleged restraints of trade in the braking system industry.

J. Francis Hayden, chief of the Justice Department's New York antitrust division, said the action by Judge John C. Knox will "make a substantial contribution to restoring competition in the manufacture and sale of a product essential to the automotive industry and the safety of the traveling public."

The complaint, filed December 9, 1947, charged the Westinghouse firm of Wilmerding, Pa., and six corporate defendants with conspiring to monopolize the automotive and industrial brake business in the United States in violation of the Federal antitrust laws.

Exclusive Patents Charged

The complaint further charged Westinghouse and the Bendix Aviation Corp. of South Bend, Ind., with suppressing competition in the manufacture and sale of automotive braking systems by cross-licensing braking patents on an exclusive basis.

In addition, the complaint said Westinghouse kept itself free of competition in the railway brake field and restrained trade in automotive brakes by forming a corporation with Bendix to exploit braking system patents.

The joint corporation is the Bendix-Westinghouse Automotive Air Brake Co., of Elyra, Ohio.

Knox's action covers only that part of the alleged conspiracy involving the Westinghouse Air Brake Co.

The suit still is pending against the Bendix-Westinghouse firm, the Bendix Aviation Corp., the Hydraulic Brake Co. of Detroit, the Wagner Electric Corp. of St. Louis, General Motors Corp. of Detroit and E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., Wilmington, Del.

The complaint charged that the combined 1946 sales of the defendants' companies was about 76 million dollars.

Under terms of today's decree, Westinghouse is directed to license its existing automotive brake patents—totaling 77—to all applicants on a royalty-free basis, and to license all patents acquired or applied for in this field during the next five years on a reasonably royalty basis.

The judgment prohibits Westinghouse from controlling or participating in the business acts of Bendix-Westinghouse or from increasing its stock holdings in the joint firm without court permission.

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Laurence Duggan

THIS IS a difficult column to write. It is difficult because personal feelings and convictions may get too much in the way of what I want to try to say.

Childs

Everyone who knew and worked with Laurence Duggan knew him as a faithful public servant. In the State Department he taxed himself constantly beyond the capacity of his limited strength and endurance.

He was a singularly charitable man, reluctant always to take any part in the controversies and feuds that now and then beset the department. Duggan worked on terms of friendship and confidence with both Cordell Hull and Sumner Welles, who were frequently at odds over policy and administration.

As a reporter and later as a friend I had an opportunity to observe Duggan's work. I observed it particularly during the period of the Nazi-Communist pact in 1940, when the twin evils were linked in common cause.

At that time Duggan was head of the Latin-American Division of the department. The Nazis had initiated a clever plot to get desperately needed oil out of Mexico. This involved the collaboration of high Communists and Communist sympathizers in Mexico.

DUGGAN did everything in his power to frustrate that plot, seeking to expose and circumvent the Communists and their allies in what became an extraordinary intrigue. This was consistent with his conduct throughout his career in the department. I say this not of my own knowledge but after checking with Welles and with Adolf A. Berle, jr., who worked closely with Duggan and who is known for his stanch anti-Communist position.

Duggan contributed greatly through the critical years of the late thirties toward welding the American republics in a close relationship. That effort had its culmination in the pact of Chapultepec. Duggan's friendly warmth, his deep concern over a solid and harmonious relationship between the Americas, his tact and patience, were important elements in reconciling hemispheric differences and divisions on the eve of war.

This, of course, was what Soviet communism feared and intrigued against. Communist agents were working ceaselessly to destroy unity and turn the Americas against each other. They constantly exploited the bogey of North American imperialism.

There is no reason here to discuss how Duggan met his death. He was recovering from a severe illness, brought on in part at least from years of overwork and strain. Duggan was never robust.

IN THE immediate aftermath of his death the House Un-American Activities Committee in the person of Representative Karl Mundt of South Dakota seems to have reached a new low. While that is a sweeping statement covering a multitude of sins, I believe history will sustain it.

In the middle of the night on which Duggan was killed, Mundt went down to the committee office, or had some of his staff go down, and release to the press a scrap of secondhand hearsay evidence. That irresponsible hearsay brought Duggan's name into the un-American hearings for the first time.

The witness, Isaac Don Levine, had reported that Whittaker Chambers had listed Duggan as one of the six involved in the Government espionage ring. This got Mundt's name on the front page of every newspaper in the country along with an incredibly cheap wisecrack about people jumping out of windows.

Consider this action. The man was dead and defenseless. He had left behind a wife and four children who would have to live with his reputation ever after.

The next day Whittaker Chambers had the decency to repudiate the hearsay evidence. He said that Duggan had never supplied him with any documents although he did go on in the strange fashion that has marked Chambers' entire behavior to leave a cloud of suspicion as to whether Duggan had had Communist connections.

The FBI agent in New York says the questioning of Duggan was routine procedure growing out of the fact that Levine had brought his name into the un-American hearings. But Duggan was ill and he was a sensitive man. It is hard to see how anything can justify such injustice and cruelty. For a long time to come this record will stand.

Working Wives, States Census, Outnumber the Single Girls

More wives are holding jobs than ever before, the Census Bureau reported yesterday. In fact, more wives are working than single girls—a big change from 1940. In April of 1947 8.3 million married women had jobs; and only 5.9 million single girls were on payrolls. About 7.6 million of the married workers were living with their husbands.

In April, 1940, the ratio was 6.7 million single girls employed to about 5 million married women. Only 4.2 million of the married women were then living with their husbands.

In 1940 only about 15 per cent of the married women who were working were living with their husbands. This year the proportion was 22 per cent.

Last April there were about six million more married couples than in 1940, and in seven million of these married couple cases, both husband and wife were breadwinners. The bureau remarks that "a factor that accounts for the increase in the number of working wives is the high marriage rate of recent years."

Last April there were five million more "households" in the United States than in April, 1940.

The bureau explained that a "household includes all of the persons who occupy a house or a room that constitutes a dwelling unit." (That means, the bureau says "the related family members, the unrelated persons, if any, such lodgers, servants, or hired hands who share the dwelling unit.")

Other conclusions reached in the 42-State survey involving 25,000 households are:

1. In rural areas women workers who are married outnumber single working girls by about 2 to 1. In cities the ratio is about even.

2. The high marriage rate in recent years has increased the number of married women in their twenties or early thirties. As a result, the proportion of women workers in that age bracket is smaller than in 1940.

3. Preschool children in a home are a more powerful force than school-age children in keeping their mothers out of the working force.

4. Households containing two workers made up about 25 per cent of the Nation's total. The ratio in 1940 was 22 per cent.

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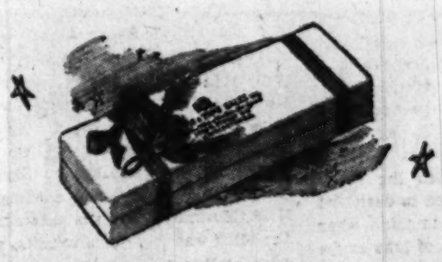

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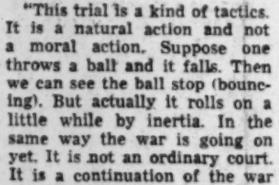

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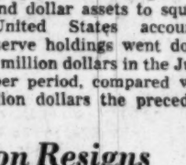

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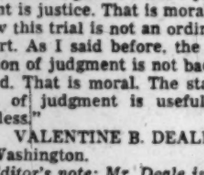

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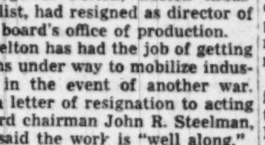

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Murray Challenges 1-Man Probe Authority, Ignores Hoffman Call for Testimony on Raid

By The Associated Press

CIO President Philip Murray yesterday carried out his announced intention to challenge the authority of a one-man congressional subcommittee. He failed to appear for testimony about a raid on the struck Shakespeare fishing tackle plants at Kalamazoo, Mich.

Representative Hoffman (R., Mich.), House Labor Committee member making a single-handed investigation of the raid, told reporters he would refer the facts about Murray's refusal to Attorney General Tom Clark.

Hoffman said he would not request Clark to prosecute, although he contended that Murray's failure to obey a subpena was a misdemeanor punishable by a maximum fine of $1000 or a year's imprisonment, or both.

'Dont Expect Action'

"But I don't expect any action on it," Hoffman said.

Murray had advised Hoffman Tuesday that he would not be present.

Hoffman dismissed Murray's questioning of the right of House committees to subpena witnesses as "absurd" but he agreed that the authority of a one-man subcommittee is "debatable."

Hoffman, however, said those were only technicalities. The issue of "real importance," he said, is whether Murray approves of "goon squads" that he said have "disregarded the law, destroyed property and beaten innocent citizens" in labor disputes.

The December 1 raid on the Shakespeare plants was made by about 300 men, Thomas Shane, Michigan director of the CIO steel workers union, said the men came from locals around the State.

In their dawn invasion of the plant, the men destroyed equipment, overturned cars and injured seven employes who had joined a back-to-work movement. The strike started September 7 over contract changes. Wages were not an issue.

Murray Head of Union

Hoffman said the public and CIO members too are entitled to "a clear statement" from Murray that the activities of goon squads will not be tolerated. Murray is president of the steel workers' union.

In challenging Hoffman's authority, Murray said that under the congressional reorganization act of 1946, the only House committee that may issue subpenas is the Un-American Activities Committee.

Hoffman replied that the House makes its own rules and added these permit committees and subcommittees to subpena witnesses.

The issue of the legality of the one-man subcommittee, Hoffman said, "has more merit." He said there is precedent for them, though, and they have functioned before without challenge. He said, however, that from a moral viewpoint he feels there always should be a minority party member on a subcommittee.

In the present case, he said, Representative Lesinski (D., Mich.), the ranking Democrat on the Labor Committee, presumably would have been consulted by Chairman Hartley if he had been available and if time had permitted.

Hoffman, who was named by Hartley to make the investigation, said that Lesinski well knew he could have sat in on the hearings and asked questions if he wished.

Joint Stand Awaits CIO-AFL Merger, Green Hints

AFL President William Green hinted broadly yesterday that "joint" legislative action with the CIO will have to wait until the two unions are merged.

CIO President Philip Murray had invited the AFL to meet with the CIO and the railroad brotherhoods to plan a concerted drive in Congress to repeal the Taft-Hartley labor-management law and enact social legislation.

Green, in his reply, did not commit himself. He said the matter would be referred to the AFL executive council which meets in Miami on January 31. But he added in this comment:

"It seems fitting and appropriate for me to remind you that in a communication sent you last February in reply to a similar invitation you sent me, the executive council expressed the opinion that the best method of bringing the entire forces to bear in the fight would be to establish organic unity between the American Federation of Labor and the CIO."

Southwest Phone Strike Appears Imminent

St. Louis, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—A five-State strike of 50,000 Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. workers appeared to be almost certain today after the company rejected the last-ditch proposal of a three-man team of Federal conciliators.

The company action, taken after the union had accepted the proposal, was followed by reports that the union, the Independent Communications Workers of America, Southwestern Division 20, would walk out tomorrow.

Anton E. Johnson of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service announced the company's position.

In Jefferson City, Gov. Phil M. Donnelly said he discussed the situation with Vance Julian, who may be called upon to seize the Missouri properties of the company in case of a strike. Julian is head of the State mediation board created by the King-Thompson law which prohibits strikes in public utilities.

Royall Reaches Trieste

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Five Priests in See Made Monsignors

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Msgr. Cowhig

The Most Rev. Patrick A. O'Boyle, Archbishop of Washington, was notified of the action by Pope Pius XII by the Most Rev. Amleto Giovanni Cicognani, Apostolic Delegate to the United States.

Elevated to the rank of Domestic Prelate with the title of Right Reverend Monsignor were:

The Rev. Henry F. Graebenstein, pastor of Holy Comforter Church, East Capitol and 14th st., and Vicar for Religious for the Archdiocese.

The Rev. William E. Kelly, pastor of St. Martin's Church, 1902 North Capitol st.

The Rev. Francis J. Loughran, pastor of St. Mary's Church, Upper Marlboro, Md.

Elevated to the rank of Papal Chamberlain with the title of Very Rev. Monsignor were:

The Rev. James E. Cowhig, Chancellor of the Archdiocese and Administrator of St. Patrick's Church.

The Rev. John S. Spence, Director of Education for the Archdiocese.

Born in Cumberland, Md., Monsignor Graebenstein was educated at St. Charles College and St. Mary's Seminary and was ordained in 1922. After serving at St. Brigid's and St. John's Churches, Baltimore, he was stationed at St. Cyprian's Church, Washington, from 1927 to 1938.

He returned to St. John's as pastor in 1938, and was named pastor of Holy Comforter Parish in November, 1946. In March of this year Monsignor Graebenstein was named a member of the Board of Consultors and Vicar for Religious for the archdiocese.

Msgr. Graebenstein

Msgr. Loughran

Monsignor Kelly is a native of Vale Cummit near Frostburg, Md., and studied at St. Charles College and the North American College in Rome. He was ordained in 1917.

Msgr. Kelly

Msgr. Spence

He served at St. Elizabeth's Church, Baltimore, St. Peter's, Westernport, Md., St. Peter's, Hancock, Md., St. Francis, Brunswick, Md., and St. John's, Westminister, Md. In 1943 Monsignor Kelly succeeded the late Msgr. Michael Riordan as pastor of St. Martin's.

Monsignor Loughran, a native of Baltimore, studied at St. Charles College, Loyola College and St. Mary's Seminary and was ordained in 1911. He has spent his 37 years in the priesthood at churches in southern Maryland and has been pastor of the Upper Marlboro church since 1914.

A native Washingtonian, Monsignor Cowhig attended St. John's College High School, St. Charles College, St. Mary's Seminary and the North American College at Rome and was ordained in 1935. His first assignment was at Our Lady of Victory Church, Washington, and in 1939 he was transferred to St. Patrick's Church as assistant pastor.

In 1945 he was named vice officialis of the archdioceses of Baltimore and Washington and in January, 1948, Archbishop O'Boyle named him acting chancellor of the archdiocese of Washington. In March, 1948, he became chancellor and in October he was named administrator of St. Patrick's.

A native of Baltimore, Monsignor Spence attended Loyola College, St. Mary's Seminary and studied at the Propaganda and the Gregorian Universities in Rome. He was ordained in 1933.

In 1934 he was assigned to the Shrine of the Sacred Heart, Washington, and six years later was transferred to St. Anthony's Church. In 1942 he became first assistant at St. Matthew's Cathedral. Archbishop O'Boyle named Monsignor Spence director of education for the archdiocese early this year and recently he was made director of the Cana Conferences for the archdiocese.

For 10 years he has been a director of the Washington Retreat League and for 12 years a judge on the tribunal of the archdioceses of Baltimore and Washington.

West Point Cadets Go Home for Christmas

West Point, N. Y., Dec. 22 (AP).—Nearly all of the U. S. Military Academy's 1800 cadets began a 10-day Christmas holiday leave today, many of them flying to their homes.

Approximately 300 boarded commercial airlines while 100 others found space on Army planes. The remainder used trains and automobiles.

Merry Menagerie—By Walt Disney

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Vepco Opens New Power Plant

Virginia Electric & Power Co.'s new 60,000-kilowatt Possum Point power station near Quantico, which will augment the power supply in fast-growing northern Virginia, has gone into operation, Vepco announced yesterday.

The plant cost 10 million dollars to build, the company said, and is part of a 100-million-dollar construction program now under way.

Only one of six generators ultimately planned has been installed, the announcement said, but completion of a second unit is scheduled in 1951.

Only part of the power generated will be for use in the Alexandria-Arlington-Fairfax area, a company spokesman said.

The transmission lines which will carry the power from Possum Point to a substation in northern Fairfax County was fought in Fairfax Circuit Court for approximately a year by land owners who claimed the lines would decrease their property values.

King to Broadcast

London, Dec. 22 (NYHT).—Most of Britain's royal family will spend Christmas at Buckingham Palace, where King George VI will broadcast to the Empire at 3 p. m.

Seaman Goes on Trial For Killing American

Genoa, Italy, Dec. 22 (U.P.)—Rufino Colon, 32, a Puerto Rican seaman, who has a wife and three children in New York, was on trial here today on charges of killing Sulwin Stewart, an American citizen, last June 7.

Colon was charged with stabbing Stewart to death

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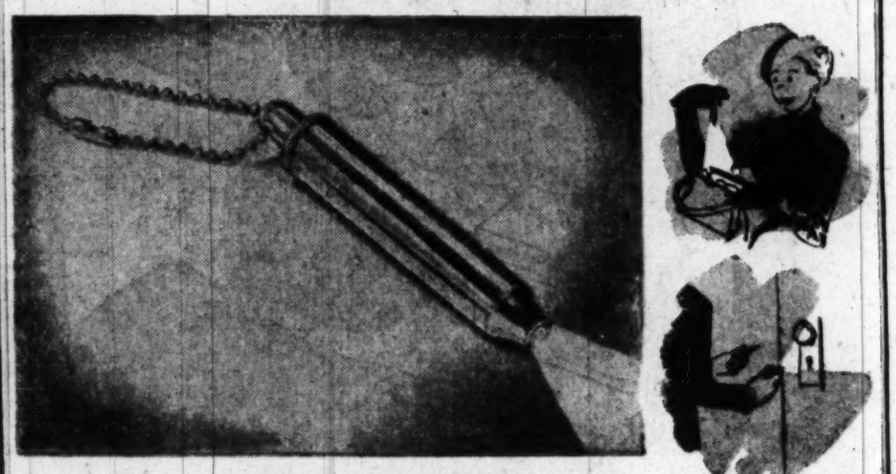
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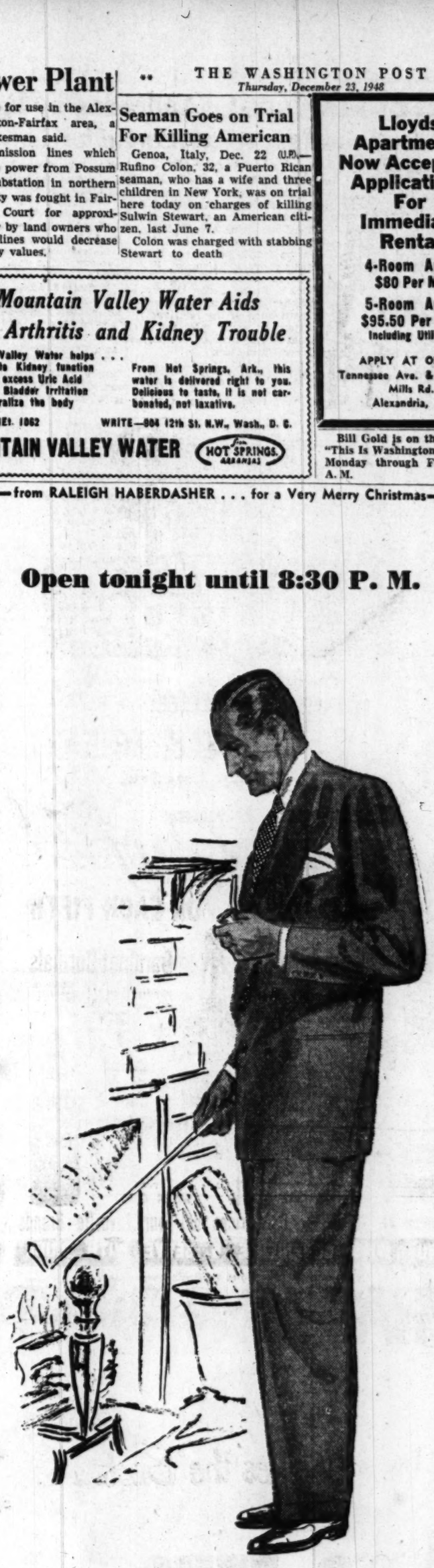
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Gasoline Boosted Half-Cent a Gallon by Esso; Other Companies Expected to Follow Suit

A price increase of one half cent a gallon in the wholesale price of gasoline, effective today, was announced yesterday by the Esso Standard Oil Co.

Independent Esso filling station dealers here said yesterday that while they had not yet received notice of the boost, any price rise would be passed on to consumers.

Spokesmen for other gasoline companies in this area said they did not know whether their firms would follow suit. In November, however, when Esso increased its gasoline prices by three tenths of a cent per gallon, most other firms here posted similar increases.

In announcing the price increase in New York, Esso also announced a reduction in the price of heavy fuel oil and Diesel fuel. No change was made in the price of domestic fuel oil.

Esso said the price of its heavy fuel will be reduced 25 cents a barrel to all seaboard terminals, with varying price adjustments in the tank wagon price. The cut in Diesel fuel, one-fifth of a cent a gallon, is at tank car level only.

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FTC Charges 'Polar Zone' May Harm Car

Use of "Polar Zone" as an antifreeze may have "highly injurious effects" on an automobile, according to a complaint issued yesterday by the Federal Trade Commission.

The complaint was issued against Saul Fehlden, a chemist, trading as the Federal Chemical Manufacturing Co., 708 W. North ave., Baltimore. The FTC charged the product may cause "serious damage or even completely ruin the engine."

Fehlden, who has 20 days to answer the complaint, said yesterday that "Polar Zone" had not been tested fairly by the Bureau of Standards. He said he had tested it for two years, amid his friends had used it without complaint.

Describing "Polar Zone" as a liquid solution with a calcium chloride base, the FTC complaint alleges such solutions will cause "serious corrosion" of the cylinder block, water pump, radiator, and "especially aluminum parts such as cylinder heads."

Fehlden told The Washington Post h ehad developed "inhibitors" which counteract the corrosive effects of calcium chloride.

Officials of the American Automobile Association in Washington said they had received complaints about "Polar Zone," although distribution here is limited. The product has been manufactured for two years, but distributed only this fall and winter.

The FTC complaint also alleges use of "Polar Zone" and similar solutions will cause partial or complete stoppage of radiator water passages with consequent overheating.

Taking Pictures

How to Make a Good Photo Of Your Own Christmas Tree

SUITABLE FOR A CARD—Three photo floodlights put sidelighting on the persons in this picture and drove extra illumination on the Christmas tree to make this a good photograph

By Ollie Atkins

THAT Christmas tree of yours is well worth picturing for a photograph to paste in the family album. So today we tell you how to make a picture of your Christmas tree in terms any box Brownie clicker can understand.

From strictly a photographic viewpoint two of the most difficult things to picture are a man in a tuxedo and a Christmas tree. The contrast in colors and reflections which the eye grasps as startlingly beautiful are a most difficult problem in photographic contrasts.

A decorated Christmas tree ranges in photo brilliance from the sharp lighting of the silver decorations and lights to the photographically dull green of the needles. Really two exposures are necessary—one catches the bright lights and the second burns into your film the dark decorations and the green of the tree itself.

Even professional photographers like to give two or three different exposures on such a difficult subject as this so you will be smart to use pan film and make three negatives of varied exposure to be sure of getting one good picture.

Making good pictures of a Christmas tree is almost always a matter of time exposures if you do not have independent flash equipment or if your camera isn't equipped with built-in flash synchronization, or if you aren't among those who keep a couple of photoflood lamps handy as a matter of picture-taking convenience.

Without such extras you'll still get fine pictures if you place your camera on a tripod, or some other firm support, such as a table top, and expose at night for three to five minutes with ordinary snapshot film with all the other lights in the room turned on. The lights on the tree shouldn't be turned on during that period for more than 5 or 10 seconds, however, or they will be very badly overexposed. If the general room illumination totals less than 350 watts, exposures of from 10 to 15 minutes will probably be required.

If you photograph your tree in daytime and if there's a window or two permitting a goodly amount of daylight to strike the tree, exposures of 15 seconds to a minute will do the job. Night or day, it's always best to make two or three negatives—ranging from brief periods to longer ones—to make certain of getting at least one negative which is likely to produce a really top-notch picture.

With flash or flood illumination, normal exposure practive as followed for general picture taking with those illuminations will produce good results. You might remember that Christmas trees, despite their decorations, are rather on the dark side and require generous flash or flood lighting to compensate for the unusual absorption of light by the tree.

Finally, don't make just one picture of your tree and let it go at that. Picture taking can legitimately commence with the decoration on Christmas evening. It can follow through with a series of snaps as the family opens the presents and the kids out on the front sidewalk pushing the new baby carriage or trying out the new skates.

FIRST Japanese camera I've seen since the war began is one Charlie Lindsay at Ford Photo showed me yesterday. It's a tiny affair any man can completely conceal in his closed fist. I measured the little camera and it is 2 by 1½ inches. Looking like a model of the early Argus cameras it is called the MYcro and proudly bears the label "Made in Japan." Strangely enough it has an F/4.5 lens and shutter speeds marked from Bulb to 100th seconds. It takes 16 mm. film, 10 shots on a roll for 20 cents. The camera retails for less than $10, and that includes a cute little leather field case.

Has any Washington photographer put his check for $750 on the line and purchased a "Foton" yet? We'd like to interview the first man who can see putting this amount of do-re-me into the miniature gadget.

Ansel Adams new book, "The Negative," in his basic photo series of volumes is just off the presses. We had a chance to review the book this week and we highly recommend it as a valuable addition to your library of technical photographic books. Some six of these books will eventually be published by Morgan & Lester. The first entitled "Camera and Lens" and also by Adams was the best thing I'd ever read on this subject in terms of the amateur photographer's needs. The second volume goes deeply into the characteristic of various film emulsions and their proper exposure and development.

Not many photographers really have need to know of all the technical problems of making a film emulsion. The study of film emulsions is really another phase of photography which is entirely separate from making beautiful pictures on the films. However, the more the photographer does learn about the characteristics of his films the better he will be able to adapt them to his everyday picture problems. This book will advance your knowledge of all the factors the average photographer needs to know about exposure and development of negatives.

Washington now has an official service station and parts distributor for Ampro 8mm. and 16mm. motion picture equipment. Wilson Gill has been named distributor of Ampro parts for the convenience of Government departments, business concerns and individuals. Some months ago he began setting up a factory branch service shop, headed it by a factory-trained engineer, and now has it in full operation.

Syria Bans 2 Magazines

Damascus, Dec. 22 (AP).—The Syrian government today banned the American magazines Life and Newsweek because of what it termed "increased Zionist propaganda."

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One on the Aisle—

A Chatter-proof Western Is O. K.

By Richard L. Coe

THE WESTERNS CERTAINLY are getting arty. Latest to come along is at Keith's, boasts the high-flown title of "Blood on the Moon," is filled with stretches of pleasing silence and is photographed by a chap evidently fond of the dark.

Making all this thoroughly palatable to the trade that has put Westerns in Hollywood's preferred stock class is Robert Mitchum, a young man whose laconic bluntness on the screen probably matches the personalities of his followers. Mitchum drifts into this one, sums up the plot situation every so often, proves he's a crackshot, good fighter and Sound of Heart. Barbara Bel Geddes makes herself the young lady his followers would expect to inspire Mitchum, and a batch of the familiar lads (Walter Brennan, Frank Faylen, Tom Tully, et al.) are along.

As for exactly what goes on in most of the recent Westerns, I might as well confess I'm gettting to be pathetically fuzzy. In a general sort of way, of course, I can follow the idea, but when intrigue sets in, I'm likely to drift. Intrigue is positively awash in "Blood on the Moon," the title of which, by the way, seems to mean nothing specific, though it does recall one of the great lines of "The Black Crook."

"There's blood on the face of the moon!" shouted one of its characters. "Our queen's in danger! To arms, to arms!"

("The Black Crook," I realize, happened back in 1866, but since that's the period of Luke Short's story, I feel justified in juggling back to Niblo's Garden and the night I was bundled into the balcony in Grandma's muff.)

A Laconic Trend

Mr. Short's story, which Lillie Hayward adapted for the screen, concerns a shady cattle deal, with the Indian agent out to crack a profit by letting the homesteaders think their grazing land is in peril. All sorts of shenanigans, several cross-purpose romances, deaths and misunderstandings are piled into the plot.

Please don't get the idea I'm finding fault with the plot. Quite the contrary. I admire its complexities immensely, but I have to admit that Westerns are getting far beyond my abilities to achieve a brief resume.

The procedure is certainly a welcome one. It's all to the good that the strong, silent folk (women as well as men) are beginning to talk in six-word sentences. They know what's going on, even though confused dimwits like myself may be thankful that they have no part in the melee, no decision to make, no rifle to shoot.

Another pleasant feature of these New School Westerns is their quiet moments. Figures skulk silently in the dark. Fight scenes are orchestrated only with cracking bones and tearing flesh. The sobbing of violins still is heard, but it's being cut down. Since the West presumably had its strong, silent moments as well as its strong, silent men, I'm all for this tendency; furthermore, it makes the noise noisier when iit comes.

"Blood on the Moon" has been photographed with a good deal of velvety elegance by Nicholas Musuraca, who has the terrain of Arizona, New Mexico and the Colorado Rockies to work with.

Phyllis Thaxter, who two-times her pop in favor of Robert Preston, and Miss Bel Geddes, a mean lass with a rod, are thoroughly capable as those gals of the New School Westerns who exemplify the notion that frontier females of the '60s weren't all cabaret queens or shy mice.

"THE RED SHOES" will move out of the National and right into the Dupont January 2 . . . The reserved-seat, two-a-day policy will hold at the ballet film's new home, where the box office sale opens tomorrow . . . The National's next will be another British import, "Blanche Fury," with Valerie Hobson and Stewart Granger, opening Sunday, the second day of the year.

THE GAYETY isn't getting lost in the holiday shuffle, either . . . On from the television world beginning Friday will be that incredibly-named ecdysisist, Rose La Rose . . . New Year's Eve will be particularly dizzying on Ninth st., with not only a midnight show, but also a Milkman's Matinee at 2:30 . . . It's all seats reserved, so don't say you haven't been told..

"BLOOD ON THE MOON." RKO-Radio release produced by Theron Warth. Screen play by Lillie Heyward from a novel by Luke Short. Photographed by Nicholas Musuraca. Music by Roy Webb. Directed by Robert Wise. At RKO-Keith's.

THE CAST

Jimmy Garry	Robert Mitchum
Amy Lufton	Barbara Bel Geddes
Tate Riling	Robert Preston
Kris Barden	Walter Brennan
Carol Lufton	Phyllis Thaxter
Jake Pindalest	Frank Faylen
John Lufton	Tom Tully
Milo Sweet	Charles McGraw
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Frank Reardan	Tom Tyler
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Ted Elser	Richard Powers
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Bart Daniels	Robert Bray

JUST LIKE MAMA—Ruth Roman, as "Belle Starr's Daughter," appears to have taken up her mother's bang-bang profession in the film opening this morning at the Columbia. Rod Cameron is the chap who quails at her aim

Canada Boosts Workers' Pay

Ottawa, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—The Canadian government announced today a 16-million-dollar yearly pay increase for some 60,000 government workers and 35,000 members of the armed forces.

The raises were retroactive to October 1.

They range from $10 to $20 per month and, for the most part, affect those below the $4000-per-year bracket.

Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent said the increases were imperative to meet the rise in the cost-of-living and to bring government salaries more nearly in line with those in private industry.

British Exports Hit Record High

London, Dec. 22 (AP).—Official estimates published today showed Britain's exports set a record last month.

The Board of Trade said the value of November exports was £147,100,932 ($58[illegible],403,728), the highest for any month in history, and £1,500,000 ($6,000,000) higher than the previous record set last [illegible].

Imports totaled £181,016,056 ($724,064,224), a figure exceeded only twice previously since the war.

The volume of November exports was 148 per cent of 1938, against 142 per cent in October and a year-end target of 150 per cent.

Steel Worker Sent to Asylum After 'Confession'

Chicago, Dec. 22 (AP).—A steel worker who said he was the rape slayer of Roberta Rinearson, 10, was committed to a mental hospital today.

The man, Herlindo Perez Arias, 31, made a brief appearance before Chief Justice James J. McDermott of Criminal Court and said "I did it." When arrested in Hammond, Ind., he made an incoherent statement to police that he was the missing rapist and strangler.

Dr. William H. Haines, head of the county behavior clinic, examined Arias and found him insane.

The doctor's report said Arias' statement about the killing was untrue and that he should be committed to a mental institution.

Steam Unwaxes Sewers

Rugby, N. Dak. (U.P.).—Two blocks of sewers were clogged with nearly a ton of wax when a creamery vat boiled over, and an old steam threshing engine was pressed into service and the sewers were unplugged after four days and nights of steaming.

Show Times for Screen Attractions

Warner—"The Decision of Christopher Blake," Alexis Smith and Ted Donaldson in the Moss Hart story about a boy's efforts to keep his parents from divorce, at 11:45 a. m., 1:45, 3:50, 5:55, 7:55 and 10 p. m.

Palace—"You Gotta Stay Happy," Joan Fontaine and James Stewart in a light comedy about an heiress who finally meets Mr. Right, at 10:45 a. m., 12:55, 3:05, 5:15, 7:25 and 9:40 p. m.

Capitol—"Mexican Hayride." Abbott and Costello take over the musical comedy with Luba Malina, at 10:45 a. m., 1:35, 4:25, 7:15 and 10:05 p. m. Stage shows at 12:35, 3:25, 6:20 and 9:10 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Blood on the Moon," Robert Mitchum and Barbara Bel Geddes in a Western yarn of the '70's by Luke Short, at 11:30 a. m., 1:35, 3:35, 5:40, 7:45 and 9:45 p. m.

National—"Red Shoes," a British Technicolor film about the ballet and its people, at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Metropolitan—"You Can't Take It With You," reissue of the star-studded Kaufman-Hart comedy, one of the screen's best, at 11:35 a. m., 2:05, 4:35, 7:05 and 9:35 p. m.

Columbia—"Belle Starr's Daughter," Rod Cameron and Ruth Roman set the gun moll's daughter to work, at 10:45 a. m., 12:35, 2:25, 4:15, 6:05, 8 and 9:50 p. m.

Playhouse—"Hamlet." Sir Lawrence Olivier's adaptation of the great play makes a great movie, at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Little—"Hamlet," at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Hippodrome—"Spy in Black," at 2, 5:10 and 8:15 p. m. "Les Miserables," at 3:15, 6:25 and 9:35 p. m.

Dupont—"The Room Upstairs," Marlene Dietrich and Jean Gabin in a French crime passionel, at 1, 2:35, 4:25, 6:15, 8 and 9:55 p. m.

Pix—"Gangs of Chicago," at 2:10, 4:35, 7 and 9:20 p. m. "Gangs of New York," at 3:15, 5:40, 8:05 and 10:25 p. m.

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Ralph Bellamy in "GHOST OF FRANKENSTEIN" at 6:15, 8:00, 9:45.

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Robert Montgomery in "SAXON CHARM" at 6:00, 7:55, 9:45.

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Jeanne Crain in "APARTMENT FOR PEGGY" at 6:15, 8:05, 9:55.

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Veronica Lake in "ISN'T IT ROMANTIC" at 6:15, 7:55, 9:45.

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MRS. JEANNE BRAGET
Accused of kidnaping

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 22 (AP).—A Nation-wide search was on today for a 21-year-old woman charged with kidnaping her own child from its adopted parents.

District Attorney Carl B. Shelley said last night he had sworn out a felony warrant for the arrest of Mrs. Jeanne Morgan Braget and her hubsand, John M. Braget, 35, of Tacoma, Wash.

Shelly said the couple made off with blond 3-year-old Vickie Jeanne Snyder from the home of her grandparents who had adopted her.

"The child was legally adopted by Harry M. Snyder of Harrisburg about two years ago," Shelly said. "The mother signed away all her rights to the child when she put her up for adoption. That makes her no different than anyone else."

State police sent out instructions to police between here and Tacoma to pick up the couple who are believed to be driving a southern route to Washington.

Shelley said Mrs. Braget stopped at Snyder's home here Monday and received permission to take the child to visit mutual friends in Hummelstown 10 miles away.

Omaha, Dec. 22 (AP).—Charles E. McClelland, 19, was sentenced to life imprisonment today for the double slaying, August 28, 1947, of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. May 2d, of Alexandria, Va.

He elected to plead guilty to two charges of second-degree murder rather than stand trial for first-degree murder.

McClelland, a former carnival worker, signed a statement May 14 admitting slaying the young couple just west of Omaha as they were returning to Alexandria from a Colorado vacation. At the time of his arrest, McClelland was serving a two-to-three-year term in the Colorado State Penitentiary on a bad check charge.

Young May—both he and his wife were 22—was the grandson of the owner of the Alexandria, Barcroft & Washington Transit Co.

Verdict Awaited in Trial of GI Wife

Marburg, Germany, Dec. 22 (AP).—A military court tonight studied the question of whether Mrs. Wilma (Billie) Ybarbo "maliciously and cruelly" killed her United States soldier husband, as the prosecution charges, or acted in self-defense.

A verdict may be announced Thursday in this first trial of an American woman for murder by a United States Military Government Court. Even if she is convicted of having shot and slain her husband, Sergt. John Ybarbo of Goliad, Tex., the night of September 20, there seemed no prospect that the death penalty would be inflicted.

The last possibility that Mrs. Ybarbo might be sentenced to death if she is convicted seemingly disappeared today. Worth B. McCauley of Oklahoma City, Okla., chief military government attorney, asked the court to base its decision on Anglo-American common law.

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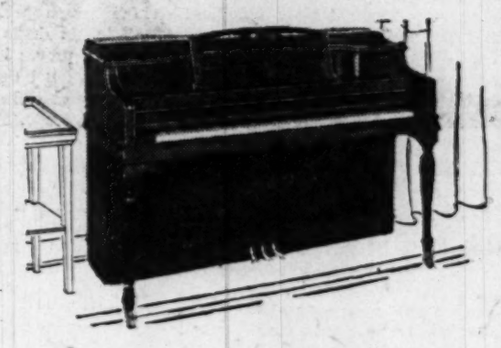

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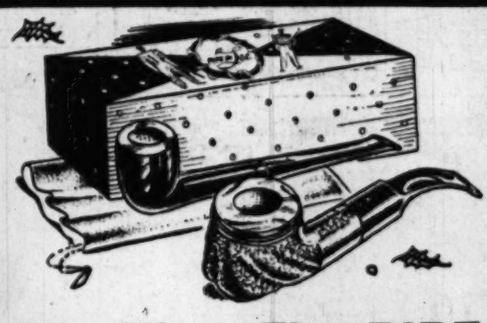

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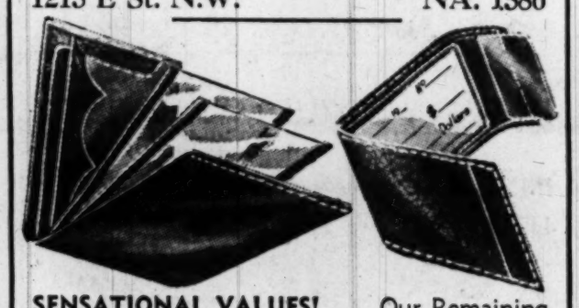

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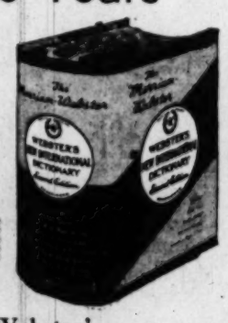

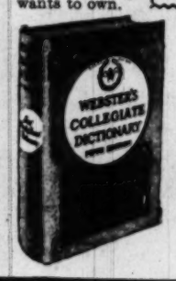

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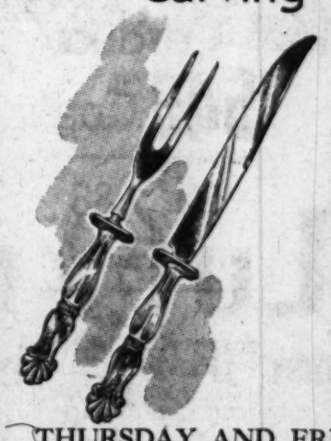

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D. C. May Lose Its Fiscal Control Over Guard Unit

Truman Reported In Favor of Placing Force Under Army Early Next Spring

Top city officials feel confident their annual chores of scrutinizing the District Guard's mounting budget requests will permanently end early next spring.

This was learned yesterday as reports persisted that President Truman is favorably considering an executive order transferring his control over the local guard unit to the Army's National Guard Bureau.

The proposed White House order, it was understood, also would relieve the Commissioners of their sole jurisdiction over the District Guard—approving operating funds for the unit from their city budget—and would delegate the President's power to appoint the unit's commanding officer to the national military establishment.

Race for Cox's Job "Wide Open"

And the race for the top command job of the Guard, now held by Brig. Gen. Albert L. Cox who is over retirement age, is "wide open," Defense and Guard officials emphasized last night.

General Cox told The Washington Post that he shall "certainly remain in his post just as long as the President is satisfied with my work, or the National Guard Bureau should it be delegated appointing powers.

"I have been staying on largely until the reorganization of our unit was completed, and I am ready to leave anytime my superiors see fit," Cox added.

Already mentioned as possible successors to Cox are Lieut. Col. Laidler B. Mackall, 31, commanding officer of the local Guard's Fighter Air Group and Air Forces liaison officer with the Senate Armed Services Committee; Col. LeRoy S. Mann, commanding the Guard's 260th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Group, and Col. W. H. Abendroth, a resident member of the General Staff Committee on National Guard Policy.

The Federal Diary by Jerry Kluttz appears today on Page 1.

The move to transfer operating cost of the District Guard from the city budget to Department of the Army appropriations has been urged by both General Cox and the District Commissioners for some time.

They have argued that it is a "clumsy setup" with the city heads passing only fiscal matters, the President acting in a chief of staff role and the Army issuing all administrative details.

"The situation has reached the point," District Budget Officer Walter L. Fowler said, "where our unit has outgrown the traditional role it assumes in most States. It's now deeply involved in the overall preparedness picture and the defense of the Nation's Capital."

Eighty-five thousand dollars was appropriated from the District budget request.

Favored by Budget Office

The financially pressed city government would be happy to see the military take over this item, Fowler sighs.

It was explained, however, that even immediate White House approval of the Guard transfer order would still be too late to permit switching operating expenses from the D. C. to the defense budget in the President's budget message to Congress. Action by House and Senate Appropriations Committees would be necessary.

Praising the recruiting record of the District Guard during the past two years, Maj. Gen. Kenneth F. Cramer, chief of National Guard Bureau of the Army, said "we want this unit to continue to be outstanding." Recruitment here is about 20 per cent above the national average in both ground and air units, he said.

White House dissatisfaction with the District Guard setup began last spring when it was brought into a dispute between Col. Peyton G. Nevitt, adjutant general, and senior staff officer, and Colonel Mann, senior line officer, over who was to be top man during General Cox's temporary absence from the city.

Still Undecided

Badt Studies Offer of Gallinger Job

Dr. Bernhard Badt, senior psychiatrist at the Grafton (Mass.) State Hospital, met with Commissioner Guy Mason and other District officials yesterday to discuss acceptance of a position at Gallinger Hospital.

Dr. Badt

The Bay State doctor was interviewed on his qualifications for filling the position of director of the Gallinger Hospital psychiatric division. He indicated he was not interested in the vacant post of director of the District's new alcoholic clinic program.

Dr. George C. Ruhland, health officer, said Dr. Badt was "well-qualified" for the Gallinger post, which pays $7102 a year. The position involves supervision of diagnosis, treatment and assignment of patients in the psychiatric division, Dr. Ruhland said.

After meeting with Commissioner Mason, Dr. Ruhland, Dr. Daniel L. Seckinger, assistant health officer and Dr. Leopold E. Wexberg, director of the mental hygiene division, Dr. Badt visited Gallinger Hospital.

He will meet with Dr. Joseph L. Gilbert, District alienist, today. Dr. Gilbert has been acting as head of the psychiatric division pending appointment of a successor. He will then devote full time to the alienist post.

Dr. Badt said he has not yet decided whether to apply for the Gallinger position. He noted that on previous assignments, he has been furnished with quarters for his family, but such housing is not available at Gallinger.

By error, Dr. Badt was identified as Dr. Badt Bernhard in yesterday's editions of The Washington Post.

Storeowner's Wife Routs Holdup Man With Meat Knife

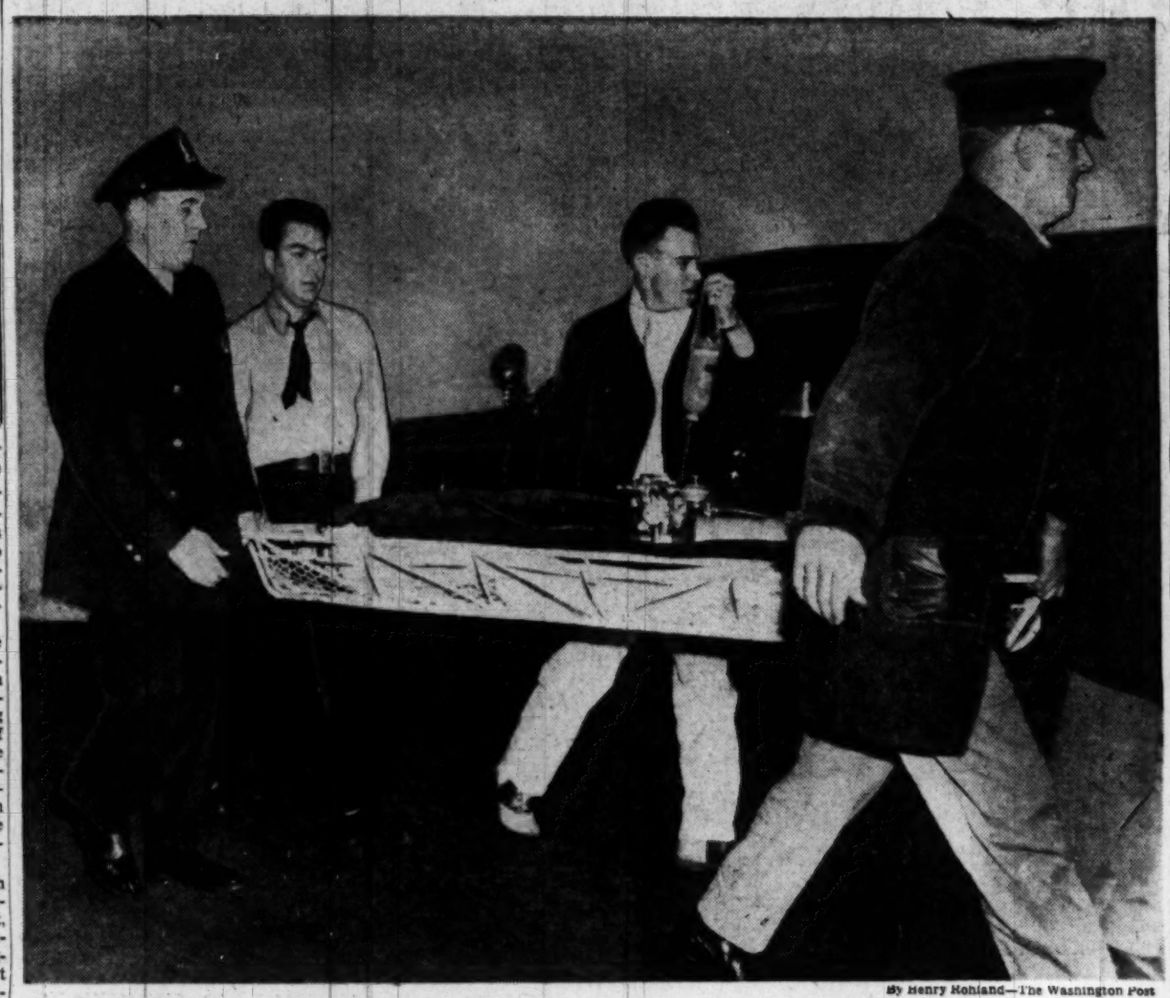
A man, armed with a brick concealed in a paper bag, yesterday attempted to hold up a grocery store at 1023 10th st. nw., only to be chased out empty-handed by the proprietor's wife, who was brandishing a meat cleaver.

Hanna Sheiks, 43, of 822 9th st., owner of the store, told police that a medium-sized man entered his store at 11:40 a. m., demanded a can of chicken and ordered him to open his cash register.

"When I hesitated," Sheiks said, "he hit me over the head with a brick hidden in a paper bag."

The man ran from the store. Sheiks told police, when his wife picked up a knife and ran from behind the counter.

A Race Against Death . . .



By Henry Mohland—The Washington Post

DEATH WON—Holding a bottle of blood plasma aloft, Emergency Hospital Dr. Ronald Strong races beside the basket stretcher to give Police Pvt. Austin J. Loftus a transfusion. Loftus, of No. 8 Precinct, died in Emergency from a bullet fired from his service revolver. Men from Fire Rescue Squad 2 carry Loftus from 1359 Monroe st. nw., where he was found shot in a hallway on the second floor, near his room. The slug lodged in his temple.

City Garage Damaged by $15,000 Fire

Damage of about $15,000 resulted when fire swept the attic section of the Sanitation Division's block-square garage in Southeast Washington at about 8 a. m. yesterday.

Firemen brought the two-alarm blaze under control in about 20 minutes. The structure, one-story and built of sheet metal, is bounded by 13th, 14th, G and E sts. se.

Although the garage normally contains about 80 vehicles, only 18 trucks were in the structure when the fire started. Some of these were driven outside. None was damaged.

Fire Department officials said the blaze apparently started when a metal stack leading from the boiler became overheated. The flames spread through a 10-foot space between the plaster ceiling and the roof almost the length of the building.

An employe who saw smoke turned in the first alarm. Firemen rang in a second alarm.

Thomas W. Bishton, assistant superintendent in the refuse division, estimated it would cost $15,000 to replace the burned rafters.

However, he said if the fire marshal approves he will recommend that only temporary repairs be made, for work has already been started on a new garage for the Sanitation Division at Mount Olivet rd. and West Virginia ave. ne.

Policeman Is Found by Mother Fatally Shot With Own Gun

Police Pvt. Austin J. Loftus, 42, veteran officer assigned to the Eighth Precinct, died at 5:30 p. m. yesterday in Emergency Hospital, 90 minutes after he was found in his home with a bullet through his temple.

Pvt. Loftus

He was discovered by his mother, Mrs. Peter Loftus, about 4 p. m. lying in the second-floor hall of the house at 1359 Monroe st. nw. His .38-caliber service revolver was on the floor between his legs. One cartridge had been fired, according to police.

Mrs. Loftus, police said, told them her son had been downstairs shortly before 4 p. m. He went upstairs to shave, she reported, and had complained of a severe pain in the head. About 4 p. m., she said, she heard a shot, ran up the stairs and found her son, clad in pajamas.

Transfer of the policeman, then semiconscious, to Emergency Hospital was held up temporarily, police said, because the ambulance litter was too large to be carried down the stairs.

Fire Rescue Squad No. 2 was called and brought Loftus down in a Stokes basket.

Coroner A Magruder MacDonald last night ruled the death suicide.

Capt. John E. Fondahl, commanding officer of the Eighth Precinct, said police "know of no reason at this time" why the shooting occurred. The commanding officer of the Tenth Precinct, Capt. Basil F. McAllister, said, however, that Loftus had been "suffering very badly from sinus." No note was found, the police said.

Captain Fondahl reported that the policeman was one of a few men in the Eighth Precinct who had been granted a four-day leave for Christmas. Loftus was assigned to the precinct June 1, he said, and had not been on sick leave recently.

The officer worked from midnight to 8 a. m. yesterday and was to have reported again at last midnight for duty, his commanding officer stated. He was a patrolman on the Spring Valley beat.

Private Loftus joined the force, according to police records, in 1929, and had served in the Seventh, Tenth and Second Precincts before being transferred to his present assignment.

He was commended in 1931 for his part in the arrest of a band of housebreakers.

At the Monroe st. home when the shooting occurred, besides his mother, was his invalid father, Peter Loftus, and a nephew. The policeman also is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Raymond Clayton, Mrs. R. I. Nixon, Mrs. John Gannan and Miss Rosella Loftus. He was a bachelor.

Loftus' death was the second shooting suicide in the past two weeks among members of the police department. On December 8, Pvt. Charles P. Farr, of the First Precinct, was found dead in his Clinton, Md., home, his revolver beside his hand and a bullet wound in his head.

Woman Faces Drunk Driving, Hit-Run Trial

Miss Josephine M. Sauer, 29, a clerk at the National Archives, yesterday was ordered held under $800 bond for a jury trial January 12 on charges of drunken driving and leaving after colliding.

Park Police Pvt. C. E. Williams said he arrested Miss Sauer, who lives in Kansas Hall, Arlington Farms, Tuesday night after a 15-block chase. Twice he was almost knocked down by her car, he added.

Williams said he was directing traffic near Virginia and Constitution aves. nw., when he saw the car she was driving strike another car. He was almost knocked down when he approached her car to question her and she drove off, he said.

He then jumped in a passing taxicab and chased her car around the area for about 15 blocks, finally catching up with her at 25th and E sts. nw., where he was almost knocked down again when she suddenly backed up, Williams declared. He added that she slapped his face. No one was injured in the accident, he said.

Paid Sick Leave For Teachers Meets Approval

Daughter Fails

Parole Plea For Williams Is Rejected

The District Parole Board yesterday refused a "Christmas parole" for George H. Williams, real estate man, convicted of defrauding veterans in home building deals.

The three-man board turned down Williams' request for a rehearing on a parole as "not being in the public interest."

Williams' 13-year-old daughter, Petsy, telephoned the White House last week, then visited Commissioner John Russell Young's office to ask that her father be paroled for Christmas.

Williams, who is serving a 4-to-18-month sentence in Lorton Reformatory, was denied a parole plea last July, when he first became eligible for release.

An official at the Lorton Reformatory said Williams and all other Lorton inmates will have a special turkey dinner Christmas Day. Prisoners will attend a non-sectarian religious service in the morning, followed by distribution of modest gifts from the superintendent. There will be a movie in the evening.

City Heads Indorse, In Principle, Plan For 10 Days a Year; Bill Being Drafted

By Sam Zagoria
Post Reporter

District Commissioners have approved, in principle, the granting of 10 days a year paid sick leave for school teachers, it was learned last night.

Last spring the city fathers turned down the proposal as "too expensive." In the fall, at the request of the Board of Education, the Commissioners named a four-man committee to consider the cost of the plan and report back.

The present plan calls for granting 10 days' paid sick leave a year, accumulated at the rate of one day per month of service. Included also is a retroactive section under which permanent teachers would receive leave with pay at the rate of one day per year of service up to a maximum of 20.

Expected to Cost $188,000

The annual cost of the plan is expected to run about $188,000, the committee informed the Commissioners. The committee was headed by Budget Officer Walter L. Fowler and included Corporation Counsel Vernon E. West, Auditor A. R. Pilkerton and Adelbert W. Heinmiller, business administrator for the schools.

This figure was arrived at in the following way: Last year, teachers lost 12,000 days, about four days each, because of illness or other emergencies. At present, an absent teacher must pay the salary of the teacher who takes her place.

The committee computed it would cost an average of $10 a day to fill the vacancies caused by the granting of the sick leave. It also decided the 12,000-a-year total was "relatively low" and set the annual estimate at 15,000 days a year. This would result in a cost of $150,000 a year.

West Is Drawing Up Bill

The Board of Education also proposed to make the sick leave retroactive for permanent teachers at the rate of one day per year of service up to a maximum of 20. This would run to 38,722 days, the committee found. It estimated that one-tenth of this cumulative leave would be used annually, adding about another $38,000 a year to the annual bill, thus totaling $188,000.

The proposal is now in the hands of Corporation Counsel West for drafting of legislation to present to Congress next month. West said last night he expected to have the bill drawn by next week.

Auto Victim Identified as Maryland Man

A pedestrian, critically injured Monday night in a traffic accident, was identified by police yesterday as George Brown, 65, of 169 Grant ave., Takoma Park, Md.

Identification was made, they said, from fingerprints. Brown was still unconscious last night.

He was struck by an automobile in the 5300 block of 16th st. nw. and admitted to Garfield Hospital with a fractured skull, compound fracture of the right leg and numerous cuts and bruises.

Police identified the driver as Robert A. Haynie, 53, of 8711 2d ave., Silver Spring, Md.

Aged Man's Death Ruled Accident Because of Fall

Dr. A. Magruder MacDonald, District coroner, yesterday issued a certificate of accidental death due to a fall against a parked truck in the death of 86-year-old Franklin Siegler on November 6 in Emergency Hospital.

Dr. MacDonald said his office completed its examination of witnesses yesterday.

Siegler, who lived at 1315 Juniper st. nw., was found lying in the street in front of 7730 Georgia ave. nw. on November 3. The police Accident Investigation Unit said it is not carrying the death as a traffic fatality, although the case was originally investigated by its personnel and carried on the unit's records.

Jury Acquits Youth in Knifing Of Newsboy, 15

A 19-year-old youth yesterday was acquitted by a Municipal Court jury of cutting a 15-year-old newspaper carrier boy with a knife.

The jury found Bryant Deal, of 1865 Mintwood pl. nw., innocent of the charge that he cut Bertram Treadwell, of 1636 Florida ave. nw., during an altercation around 7 a. m. last November 28 in the 1700 block of Calvert st. nw.

Treadwell said he was cut about the face and on the right hand with a knife by Deal when he went to the assistance of another newsboy, whom Deal was molesting.

Deal said, however, that he did not draw out his knife until Treadwell had knocked him to the ground and started pummeling him with his fists.

A 17-year-old youth was turned over to Juvenile authorities for assaulting the other newspaper boy, also 15 years old, during the altercation.

'Reckless' Pilot Grounded

Baltimore, Dec. 22 (AP).—Charles A. Diffendall, pilot and former airport owner, who was convicted of reckless flying, has been grounded for two years by the Civil Aeronautics Authority.

Creators of The Post's Comics

Milton Caniff Draws Steve Canyon—and $104,000 Annually

By Fred Laughlin

The man who draws **Steve** Canyon for The Post daily and Sunday is a tall, heavy-set Irishman with a big grin and merry blue eyes.

His name is Milton Caniff. He is 41 years old, and he has been drawing pictures ever since he was knee-high to a grasshopper.

Today he is one of the most widely known artists in the country. His income is more than $100,000 a year, and he is president of the National Cartoonists Society. Steve Canyon appears in more than 350 newspapers throughout the world with a total circulation of about 35 million people every day.

Milton Caniff and his new comic, Steve Canyon, are outstanding illustrations of the new group of comics and comic creators that have appeared since World War II, and which now appears in The Washington Post.

Caniff made his first comic strip bid for fame when he was hired by Capt. Joseph Patterson of the New York Daily News to write a new type of strip, which turned out to be the famous story, Terry and the Pirates.

He made comic-strip history as the creator of this famous strip, which also appears in The Washington Post. The wave of applause that broke over Caniff's head with the introduction of Terry and the Pirates has never stopped rolling. It reached a high point during the war when the intensely patriotic artist volunteered to do a strip for the armed services to appear in all of their camp papers everywhere. For this assignment, Caniff created Male Call, the lusty adventures of the astounding Miss Lace. The soldiers' cartoon for the armed services appeared in more than 3000 service papers, and the artist continued to furnish this comic for nearly six years. The artist became the most popular contributor to any of the service papers, and his Miss Lace was the favorite pin-up girl wherever service papers were circulated.

Milton Caniff, whose "Steve Canyon" delights every armchair Marco Polo, is author and artist

When the war was over, Caniff received a fabulous offer from Marshall Field, the Chicago publisher, to create a new comic, and the contract price for his services for five years was $520,000. A feature of the new contract was that he was to own the copyright.

When it was announced that Milton Caniff was going to create a new comic, newspaper comic history was made on the spot, for 125 leading newspapers bought the strip before even the author had a real idea of what it was going to be about.

After the signing of the contract, Caniff worked day and night for months evolving the new characters. He decided first that the hero would have to be a tall, lanky, flat-stomached airplane pilot, who would have no home ties and who could roam the world. As a pilot his new hero could go to all sorts of strange places and become involved in stranger adventures and be surrounded by as exotic a crew of friends and enemies as his extremely lively imagination could provide. He picked out the name, Steven Canyon, because "Steve" is a good, solid, unpretentious, American name, and "Canyon" connoted a rugged individual.

Caniff's female characters have always been sophisticated females with a flare for glamor. What comic reader doesn't remember his Dragon Lady and the mean and exotic, villainess Copper Calhoun. His present-day leading lady—Miss Fancy—is a combination adventuress and maternal chaperon. His humorous little character, Happy Easter, is one of the most human figures now appearing in the comic strips.

Caniff works from 12 to 14 hours daily to evolve the story and art work for Steve Canyon. He has a beautiful, big, white house in a little town near New York city called New City. Here Caniff does all of his work. Caniff loves to sleep, and he gets up late in the morning and does not get to his studio until around noon. Then, with a pot of black coffee with which his pretty, blonde wife, Esther, keeps him supplied, he goes to work, and more often than not, midnight finds him working. Although he welcomes any intrusion on his privacy at any time—the arrival of the postman, or unexpected visitors, or any other excuse—he goes along at a calm, unhurried pace, and with his assistant, Frank Engli, checks and rechecks the story and the lettering and the art work in every detail. He is a stickler for fact in his stories, and every detail of costuming or of the locale must be accurate or it does not meet his approval. To provide the facts, he has a large library in his home and insists on endless checking to be sure everything is right.

Although Caniff keeps his work about two months in advance, he is forever working on stories that will not appear for as much as five years from now.

Caniff uses live models for his women characters, and loves to get some of his friends into his stories. For instance, Col. Phil Cockran, an old college chum of his at Ohio State, gave him a correspondence course in flying, and won almost as much fame as Col. Flip Corkin in the Caniff comic, as he did in leading the glider invasion in Burma under his own name.

Despite the fame and fortune that has come to Milton Caniff through his comic strip work, he is one of the most modest and self-effacing men to be found in a long day's march. He is proud that the Army Air Force practically adopted him, but he would much rather talk about the comic strip as a means of expression. He spends long hours studying the art of putting a story over by means of a comic strip, and no one in the business is more expert than he in doing this. He studies the movies and particularly the work of Director Alfred Hitchcock in putting a mystery on the screen. He is forever looking for a new character that will add interest to his strip. And he insists that although comic strips are built primarily for entertainment, as a general thing they do stand for decency and virtue.

He points out that several of the comic artists today are recognized as craftsmen of high ability. Originals of his comic strip drawings have been exhibited on one-man art shows on occasion, and have received critical approval. One of Caniff's great interests today is the project of the National Cartoonists and Artists Society for putting on shows for servicemen in hospitals and in teaching drawing in the mental therapy wards. He has found that men with no particular artistic ability are much improved when they can take a pencil in hand and draw characters. This discovery has been taken up by all of the service hospitals, and there are regular classes in drawing. Caniff and his fellow members keep this going and give a great deal of their time to the work.

The artist is one of the most famous members of his college fraternity, Sigma Chi, and is one of the small group in that fraternity acknowledged "Significant Sigs."

Today's episode appears on Page C-6.

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Area News in Brief

Flying Tackle Stops Theft Suspect Short

Leon M. Jackson hasn't lost much of the form he displayed 10 years ago as a stalwart football guard for the Auburn Plainsmen.

If he has, it wasn't noticeable to Joel P. Mickey, 44, of 1250 10th st. nw., who was downed by Jackson's flying tackle at about 6:30 a. m. yesterday at 13th and H sts. nw.

Jackson and Corp. Max K. Haynes, both of Camp Holabird, Md., were in a restaurant at 13th and G sts. nw., when they were informed someone was breaking into Haynes' car parked outside.

They saw a man sprinting away, they told police, wearing Haynes' field jacket and carrying a suitcase and overcoat taken from the car. Jackson brought down his man a block away with a perfect flying tackle.

Mickey, a short time later, collapsed in the police lineup and was taken to Gallinger Hospital to be treated for alcoholism.

He was then returned to the First Precinct where he was charged with grand larceny and, as the window of the car had been broken, with destroying private property.

The prisoner denied that he had broken into the car.

Police said Jackson and Haynes were here on official business at Fort McNair.

Parking Eased Some

The District Motor Vehicle Parking Agency yesterday reported "some alleviation" of the downtown parking problem through opening of five new parking places for 360 cars in the past three months.

The new parking lots are on Connecticut ave. just south of Dupont Circle, 50 cars; E st. between 6th and 7th sts. nw., 60 cars; H st. nw., north side, between 14th and 15th sts., 25 cars, and the north side of DeSales st. nw, opposite the Mayflower Hotel side entrance, 25 to 30 cars.

In addition, a 400-car concrete parking garage was opened last month on the south side of K st. between 12th and 13th sts. nw., the agency noted.

4 Fares Rob Cabbie

Arlington police have issued a lookout for four men who they say beat up a Mount Rainier, Md. taxi driver early yesterday and robbed him of $12.

The victim, Thomas V. Mullings, 24, of 3608 Bunker Hill rd., was able to hide $8 more under his cab seat before the four thugs struck him with their fists and drove off in his cab, leaving him at 15th st. and N. Kirkwood rd., Arlington.

Mullings told police he had picked up the quartette in Washington about 1:27 a. m. yesterday in the rear of 1817 N. Monroe st.

Taxes Jump in Arlington

Virginia State taxes assessed in Arlington County jumped from 1947's total of $1,571,664 to $1,868,384 for 1948, Arlington Commissioner of Revenue Harry K. Green reported yesterday.

Of this total, including taxes on income and on intangible personal property, State income taxes for 1948 showed an 18 per cent increase, from $1,227,073 in 1947 to $1,457,534 this year, Green said.

He reported 36,432 State income tax returns filed in Arlington this year, an increase of 4957 over 1947. Largest income tax assessed was $4856; the smallest, 3 cents. Average income tax was about $40, Green said.

Caroling in the Streetcar . . .

The Washington Post

HARMONY IN CLOSE QUARTERS — The "Caroling Streetcar" was rolling along last night. Here's an inside view of trolley and those who gave voice. The Washington school children were heard along the 14th st. line from Decatur st. to 14th and F and along the line to the Municipal Center Building and back. The annual yuletide program is sponsored by the District Recreation Department

Donald Brian

Great Neck, N. Y., Dec. 22 (AP).—Donald Brian, 73, widely known actor and singer, died of a heart ailment at his home here today.

Brian gained his first great Broadway success in 1907 when he appeared as Prince Danilo in "The Merry Widow."

Brian's last New York appearance was in 1939 in the Jerome Kern musical, "Very Warm for May."

Gen. Hagood Dies; Critic Of New Deal

Maj. Gen. Johnson Hagood, 75, who retired from the Army in 1936 after he was officially rebuked for criticizing New Deal spending policies, died yesterday in the Naval Hospital at Charleston, S. C.

Gen Hagood

Hagood was removed from command of the Eighth Corps Area with headquarters in San Antonio, Tex., by President Roosevelt, after the general referred to Works Progress Administration expenditures as "stage money . . . you can pass it around, but you cannot get anything out of it in the end."

Following a tempest of protest over his removal, he was named commander of the Sixth Corps Area with headquarters in Chicago. He served one day, then requested retirement.

Hagood, who had little use for parades and what he termed "frills," wrote many books and magazine articles about the Army.

Born in Orangeburg, S. C., on June 16, 1873, he was graduated from West Point in 1896. He was made a brigadier general in 1918 and major general in 1925.

Hagood was the nephew and namesake of Brig. Gen. Johnson Hagood of the Confederate army and onetime governor of South Carolina.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jean Small Hagood; a daughter, Mrs. James L. Holloway, jr., whose husband is superintendent of the Naval Academy, and a son, Col. Johnson Hagood, jr. (retired).

Cumming Rites To Be Held Here Friday

Funeral services for Dr. Hugh Smith Cumming, 79, former Surgeon General of the United States, will be held Friday at 9:30 a. m. at St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, Connecticut ave. and Bancroft pl. nw. Private burial will be in Hampton, Va.

Dr. Cumming, Surgeon General from 1920 until his retirement in 1936, died Monday at his home, 2219 California st. nw.

Honorary pall bearers will include Dr. R. E. Dyer, director of the National Institute of Health; R. L. Harlow, budget and fiscal officer, Office of the Surgeon General; Col. J. F. Syler, U. S. A. (retired); Dr. W. P. Dearing, deputy surgeon general; Dr. Fred L. Soper, director of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau; Ambassador Julian Caceres, from Honduras; Ambassador Juan F. Morales of Paraguay, Mario Rodriguez, Minister Counselor from Chile; Dr. Carlos A. Siri, first secretary of the Embassy of El Salvador; Dr. Luis F. Thomen, Ambassador from the Dominican Republic; Dr. Jose A. Mora, Ambassador from Uruguay; Ambassador Don Octavio A. allerino from Panama, and Exnesto Valdiveso Chiriboga, first secretary of the Ecuadorean Embassy.

Guy F. Glossbrenner

Guy F. Glossbrenner, 69, an income tax auditor with the Bureau of Internal Revenue for 42 years, died Tuesday night. He was to have retired in June.

A native of Illinois, Mr. Glossbrenner came to Washington in 1905 and spent the remainder of his life in Government service. At his death he resided at 3836 Fulton st. nw.

He was a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, the Sons of Union Veterans, and for many years served as an elder in the National Presbyterian Church, Connecticut ave. and N st. nw.

In addition to his wife, the former Amy Voss, Mr. Glossbrenner is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Maxine Gibson, 128 Todd pl. ne.; two sons, George B. Glossbrenner, 406 Baltimore ave., and Guy F. Glossbrenner, jr.; a sister, Miss Pearl Glossbrenner, both of the Fulton st. address, and two brothers, Cory and Norman Glossbrenners of Yakima, Wash.

Funeral services will be held tonight at 7 oclock from the S. H. Hines funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw.

William K. Richardson

Funeral services for William K. Richardson, 88, of 233 Ascot pl. ne., who devoted many years to working on inventions of military equipment, will be held today at 2 p. m. in Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw. Burial will be in Washington National Cemetery.

Mr. Richardson, a native of Leavenworth, Kans., died Monday, in Galinger Hospital after a four-year illness. He came to Washington in 1910 after many years in mining operations in California, Mexico and Alaska.

He worked on inventions which anticipated the tapered base shell used in World War I, the fragmentation shell, depth charge and "centrifugal water purifying system," according to a friend, Matthew Ramage of 1301 Massachusetts ave. nw.

Died

ABENDSCHEIN, MRS. RUTH ELIZABETH. There is someone who misses you sadly,
And finds the time long since you went;
There is someone who thinks of you always,
And tries to be brave and content.
Gone is the face we love so dear,
Silent the voice we long to hear;
'Tis sad, but true, we wonder why,
The best are always the first to die.
FATHER AND FOUR SONS.

BARTLETT, MABEL RAINEY. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at the U. S. Naval Medical Center, MABEL RAINEY BARTLETT, beloved daughter of the late Francis M. and Fannie Rainey and sister of Mrs. Frances R. Stone of Bethesda, Md. Remains resting at the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Funeral Home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey, Bethesda, Md. Services Thursday, December 23, at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, Bethesda, where requiem mass will be offered at 9:30 a. m. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

BECKLEY, JAMES J. Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at his residence, 4402 Fessenden st. nw., JAMES J. BECKLEY, the beloved brother of James J. Beckley, jr., beloved son of the late Joseph O. and Ellen M. Beckley (nee Gallagher). Funeral from the above residence on Friday, December 24, at 9:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Ann Church, Wis. ave. and Yuma st. nw., at 10 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited.

CHRISTIE, MARY M. (nee Maye Nolte). On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at Doctors Hospital, MARY M. CHRISTIE of 1448 Girard st. nw., beloved wife of the late Joseph E. Christie, mother of Mrs. Evelyn Harris and the late Lieut. Joseph N. Christie, USNR.; sister of Mrs. Eleanor Jones, Mrs. Catherine Hutchison and Andrew Nolte. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Friday, December 24, at 8:30 a. m., thence to Shrine of the Sacred Heart, 16th and Park rd. nw., where the holy sacrifice of the mass will be offered at 9 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

COOK, WILLIAM J. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, WILLIAM J. COOK of 480 11th st. se., beloved husband of the late Beulah May Cook and father of Mary Donaldson, Ernest F. and Walter C. Cook. Friends may call at the Robert A. Mattingly Funeral Home, 131 11th st. se., where services will be held on Thursday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

CROUSE, EMMA J. On Wednesday, December 22, 1948, at Sibley Hospital, EMMA J. CROUSE of 1440 Meridian pl. nw., mother of Charles J. Crouse of Washington, D. C. and the late Joseph A. Crouse. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Friday, December 24, at 1 p. m. Interment George Washington Memorial Cemetery.

CUMMING, DOCTOR HUGH SMITH. On Monday, December 20, 1948 at his residence 2219 California st. nw., DOCTOR HUGH SMITH CUMMING, husband of Lucy Booth Cumming, father of Hugh Smith Cumming, jr., American Embassy, Stockholm, Sweden, and Mrs. Manville Kendrick of Laramie, Wyo. Friends may call at Gawler's Chapel 1756 Pennsylvania ave. nw. Services will be held at St. Margaret's Episcopal Church on Friday December 24 at 9:30 a. m. Private interment later at Hampton, Va.

DAVIS, EVA. On Wednesday, December, 22, 1948, at her residence, 6008 East Capitol st., Eva Davis, beloved wife of William Davis and mother of Edward J. and Arthur D. Reher and Mrs. Minnie E. Forney and stepmother of Carrie Fair. Remains resting at Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., until Monday, December 27, at 2 p. m. services at Capitol Heights Baptist Church, 61st st. and Central ave., at 2:30 p. m. Interment Washington National Cemetery.

DAVIS, LEONARD H.—On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at Washington Sanitarium, LEONARD H. DAVIS, husband of the late Annie M. Davis and father of Leonard R., Halford G. and F. Elwood Davis. Friends may call at his late residence, 712 30th st. ne., where services will be held on Friday, December 24, at 10:30 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

DAVIS, MARY F. On Monday December 20 1948 MARY F. DAVIS of 1008 Penna. ave. se., wife of the late George E. Davis, services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home 2901 14th st. nw. On Thursday December 23d at 1 p.m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

DAVIS, MAUD O'CONNOR. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at her residence near Forestville, Va., MAUD O'CONNOR DAVIS, beloved wife of Harry E. Davis and sister of Richard O'Connor. Remains resting at Hysong's Funeral Home, 1300 N st. nw., where services will be held on Thursday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

DEMARS, MIRIAM. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at her residence, 2426 19th st. nw., MIRIAM DEMARS, beloved sister of Miss Bertha E. Taylor. Services and interment private.

DUNCAN, DAVID. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948 at his residence 6127 Montrose rd., Cheverly, Md. DAVID DUNCAN, beloved husband of Marjorie L. Duncan, father of David James Duncan and Kathie MacDonald. Services at Chambers Funeral Home 5801 Cleveland ave., Riverdale, Md., on Thursday, December 23d at 11:30 a.m. Interment in Arlington National Cemetery.

EDINGER, EMMA. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at Casualty Hospital, EMMA EDINGER, beloved mother of John H. Edinger and daughter of Daisy Clements and sister of John W. Marquette. Remains resting at Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., until Friday, December 24, at 8:30 a. m. Mass in Mount Calvary Catholic Church, Forestville, Md., at 9 a. m. Interment in Washington National Cemetery.

ECKERT, MARY BLAKE BRITT. On Wednesday, December 22, 1948, at her home, 3109 38th st. nw., MARY BLAKE BRITT ECKERT, daughter of the late William and Mary Cooke Britt, beloved wife of Millen J. Eckert, mother of Mary Blake Eckert. She also is survived by three aunts, Mrs. Mollie B. Weaver, Mrs. Jennie B. Hunt and Mrs. Helen Cooke Barbour. Services at the above residence on Friday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Interment Oak Hill Cemetery.

FREEMAN, JESSIE M. LOVE. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at her residence, West Hartford, Conn., JESSIE M. LOVE FREEMAN, wife of Col. George D. Freeman, jr.; mother of George D. Freeman, 3d, and sister of Col. J. M. Love, jr., of Washington, D. C. Services will be held at the Truro Episcopal Church, Fairfax, Va., on Friday, December 24, at 11 a. m. Interment Fairfax Cemetery.

GALLEHER, CHARLES WESLEY. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at his residence, 1013 North Patrick Henry dr., Arlington, Va., CHARLES WESLEY GALLEHER, beloved husband of Lulu M. Galleher (nee Mullen) and father of Mrs. Dorothy Limerick, George Albert, William Raymond and Florence V. Galleher; Mrs. Edna M. Glass and Mrs. Grace T. Trollinger. Also surviving are seven grandchildren. Remains resting at the Ives Funeral Home, 2947 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, Va., where funeral services will be held Thursday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Interment Columbia Gardens Cemetery.

Died

GLOSSBRENNER, GUY F. All members of Columbus Lodge No. 10, Independent Order of Odd Fellows are requested to attend services for our late Brother at Hines funeral home 2901 14th st. nw., 7:30 p. m. Thursday evening, December 23.
By order of
JOHN E. REDDEN, Noble Grand.
R. E. MICHEL, Recording Secretary.

GLOSSBRENNER, GUY F. The officers and Chevaliers of Canton Washington No. 1 P. M. I. O. O. F., are ordered to report in full dress uniforms to S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., at 7 p. m., Thursday, December 23, to act as Guard of Honor at services for our late member, COL. (R.) GUY F. GLOSSBRENNER.
CAPT. DELOS BOOTH, Commanding.
Attest: MAJ. CHARLES L. COOPER, JR., Clerk

GLOSSBRENNER, GUY F. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, GUY F. GLOSSBRENNER of 3836 Fulton st. nw., beloved husband of Amy Voss Glossbrenner, father of Mrs. Maxine Gibson, George Voss Glossbrenner and Guy F. Glossbrenner, jr.; brother of Cory Glossbrenner of Yakima, Wash.; Norma Glossbrenner of Washington, D. C., and Pearl Glossbrenner. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw. Services at the First Covenant Presbyterian Church, 1764 N st. nw., on Friday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

GOTTHARDT, KATHERINE SOPHIA. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at her residence, KATHERINE SOPHIA GOTTHARDT of 22 8th st. ne., wife of the late Leonard Gotthardt, mother of William and George L. Gotthardt. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Thursday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

GRIFFIN, PAUL ALEXANDER. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at Georgetown Hospital, PAUL ALEXANDER GRIFFIN of 1900 F st. nw., beloved husband of Drusilla K. Griffin, father of Madge C. Griffin, Mrs. W. L. Pilley and Mrs. Paul Von Kolnitz. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Thursday, December 23, at 11 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

JONES, RUPERT C. On Monday, December 20, 1948, RUPERT C. JONES, the beloved brother of Herbert C. Jones of Malvern, Ark.; also survived by several nieces and nephews. Services at Chambers Funeral Home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Friday, December 24, at 2 p. m. Interment Washington National Cemetery.

KERR, JOHN CLAPPERTON. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at Ritz-Carlton, Boston, in his eighty-first year, after a long illness following a fall in Winter Park, Fla. JOHN CLAPPERTON KERR. He is survived by his wife and a daughter, Mrs. Ernest Greene and two granddaughters, Mrs. Halford Park, jr., and Mrs. Forrest Robert Richard of Ajo, Ariz., and a grandson, Richard Gleason Greene. Funeral and interment strictly private. Please omit flowers.

KOBER, BERNARD CHARLES. On Sunday, December 19, 1948, BERNARD C. KOBER, son of Bernard A. and the late Hazel E. Kober and brother of George M. Kober, Mrs. Dorothea Gleason of Berwyn, Md., and Mrs. Margaret Young of Arlington, Va. Friends may call at Gawler's Chapel, 1756 Pa. ave. nw., where services will be held on Thursday, December 23, at 11 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

LEE, GEORGE W. Suddenly, on Monday, December 20, 1948, at 5521 Colorado ave. nw., GEORGE W. LEE, beloved husband of Marianne P. Lee, father of Lola L. Martin, George William Lee, jr., Seaward S. Lee, brother of Mrs. Henry H. Barr, Mrs. William L. Lawson, A. W. Lee and Frank C. Prepnelt. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Thursday, December 23, at 10 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. (Norfolk papers please copy.)

LINEAWEAVER, MARY B. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at her residence, 2220 30th st. nw., MARY B. LINEAWEAVER, daughter of the late Kline C. and Prudence M. Lineaweaver and sister of Elizabeth Lineaweaver. Services at Gawler's Chapel, 1756 Penna. ave. nw., on Thursday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

MANUEL, FRED L. Suddenly, on Monday, December 20, 1948, FRED L. MANUEL of 431 Cedar st. nw., beloved husband of Hilda A. Manuel and father of Mrs. Margaret Grubbs, Mrs. Agnes Burke, Mrs. Hilda Vaeth, Mrs. Dorothy Fridell and Stanley D. Manuel. Mr. Manuel rests at his late home, where services will be held on Thursday, December 23, at 10 a. m. Interment Middletown, Va.

MATTHEWS, ENOCH ROLAND. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at Providence Hospital, ENOCH ROLAND MATTHEWS, husband of Erma M. Matthews, father of William T. Matthews and brother of Lillian A. Matthews. Friends may call at Gawler's Chapel, 1756 Pa. ave. nw., where services will be held on Thursday, December 23, at 10 a. m. Interment Middletown, Va.

MATTHEWS, ENOCH R. A special communication of Washington Centennial Lodge, No. 14, F.A.A.M., is called on Thursday, December 23, at 2:30 p. m., for the purpose of conducting the last Masonic rites for our late brother, ENOCH R. MATTHEWS. All members are requested to attend services.
By order of the Worshipful Master:
FLOYD L. GALBRAITH, Master.
LELAND W. WARNER, Sr. Secretary.

McCLOSKEY, WILLIAM. Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at Homeopathic Hospital, WILLIAM McCLOSKEY of 1228 Brentwood rd. ne., father of Mrs. Cecilia May, Mrs. Jeannette Nicholson, Mrs. Regina Bauman, Edward McCloskey and Joseph Brooks McCloskey. Services at the above residence on Friday, December 24, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Anthony's Catholic Church, 1030 Lawrence st. ne., where the holy sacrifice of the mass will be offered at 9 a. m. for the repose of his soul. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

McCLOSKEY, WILLIAM. Members of Washington Council, No. 224, Knights of Columbus, are notified of the death of Brother WILLIAM McCLOSKEY and are requested to assemble at his late residence, 1228 Brentwood rd. ne., Thursday, December 23, at 8:15 p. m., to say prayers for the repose of his soul.
CHARLES H. McCUSKER, G. K.
LAWRENCE J. McDONNELL, F. S.

MILLER, HARRY G. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, HARRY G. MILLER, beloved brother of Mrs. Ella M. Bowers of Herndon, Va.; beloved uncle of Mrs. Eleanor R. Matthews of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Alice B. Sullivan of Herndon, Va. Remains resting at Reed's Funeral Home, Herndon, Va., where services will be held Thursday, December 23, at 1:30 p. m. Interment Herndon, Va.

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Died

MORRIS, WILLIAM H. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at Casualty Hospital, WILLIAM H. MORRIS, husband of Florence M. Morris and father of Charles W. and Douglas Morris, Mrs. Frances Martin and Mrs. Florence Swann and brother of Barbara and Lewis Morris. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., where services will be held on Friday, December 24, at 3:30 p. m. Interment private.

NICHOLS, WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Jr. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at his residence, 312 ave. K, District Heights, Md., WILLIAM FRANKLIN NICHOLS, the beloved husband of Pearl Mae Nichols, father of William Marcus Nichols and Betty Jo Nichols, brother of Kenneth Nichols and Mrs. Priscilla Dunbar. Services at Chambers Funeral Home, 3072 M st. nw., on Thursday, December 23, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

O'BRIEN, MARY LOEHL. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, MARY LOEHL O'BRIEN, wife of the late Thomas W. O'Brien, mother of Mrs. Elizabeth O'Brien Schwartz and T. Loehl O'Brien and sister of Adlai G. Loehl, Mrs. Charles W. Fredericks and Bertha L. Loehl. Friends may call at Gawler's Chapel, 1756 Pa. ave. nw., where prayers will be said at 8:30 a. m. on Thursday, December 23. Mass will be offered at St. Thomas Apostle Catholic Church, Woodley rd. and 27th st. nw., at 9 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

OLIVETO, MARIA. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at Casualty Hospital, MARIA OLIVETO, the beloved wife of the late Joseph Oliveto, mother of John and Bruno Oliveto, Mrs. Eleanor Mazzucco, Lucy, Louis and Paul Oliveto. Friends are invited to call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th st. and Massachusetts ave. ne. Requiem mass at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 2d and C sts. ne., on Friday, December 24, at 9 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

REED, WILLIAM FRANK. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at his residence, 3102 Ferry st., Mt. Rainier, Md., WILLIAM FRANK REED, beloved husband of Anna May Reed (nee De Auley) and father of Mrs. Louise M. Herrmann and grandfather of Mrs. Wilma K. Larson. Friends may call at Wm. J. Nalley's Funeral Home, 3200 Rhode Island ave. at Eastern ave. ne., where services will be held on Thursday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

SCHAUER, HENRY. Suddenly, on Monday, December 20, 1948, at the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital, HENRY SCHAUER of 314 Whitestone rd., Silver Spring, Md., beloved husband of Vera Ellen Schauer. Mr. Schauer rests at the Warner E. Pumphrey Funeral Home, 8424 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md., where services will be held on Thursday, December 23, at 1:30 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

SHARROW, CORA M. On Monday, December 20, 1948, CORA M. SHARROW, beloved mother of Russell W. and Harvey T. Sharrow and Mrs. George A. Shouse. Services at Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., on Friday, December 24, at 1 p. m. Interment Washington National Cemetery.

SIMMERS, ADAM D. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at Casualty Hospital, ADAM D. SIMMERS, beloved husband of Estelle K. Simmers. Remains resting at Chambers Funeral Home, 517 11th st. se., until Thursday, December 23, at 1 p. m. Graveside services at Arlington National Cemetery at 11:30 p. m.

SMITH, DAVID THOMAS. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at Prince Georges General Hospital, Cheverly, Md., DAVID THOMAS SMITH, the beloved husband of Sophia J. Smith, father of Mrs. Idella A. Hessler. Services at Chambers Funeral Home, 5801 Cleveland ave., Riverdale, Md., on Friday, December 24, at 11 a. m. Interment in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

SPURR, ANNIE L. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at Emergency Hospital, MRS. ANNIE L. SPURR, beloved mother of Lewis S. Spurr, Mrs. Eleanor Russell, Mrs. Lillian M. Davis, San Francisco, Calif., and Bertram C. Spurr. She is also survived by several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Remains resting at Hysong's Funeral Home, 1300 N st. nw. Funeral services will be held at Luther Place Memorial Church, 1226 Vermont ave. nw., Thursday, December 23, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Interment Mt. Hebron Cemetery, Winchester, Va. (Winchester, Va., papers please copy.)

THORNTON, WILLIAM HARRISON. On Monday, December 20, 1948, at his residence, 1736 19th st. nw., WILLIAM HARRISON THORNTON, husband of the late Mary T. Thornton. Funeral from his late residence on Thursday, December 23, at 11 a. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery, Va.

WALSH, ELIZABETH. On Tuesday, December 21, 1948, at her residence, 2136 G st. nw., ELIZABETH WALSH (nee Sullivan), beloved wife of the late Michael Walsh and mother of Mrs. Louise Keane, Mrs. Margaret Mead, Marion, Robert and James Walsh. Funeral from the Timothy Hanlon Funeral Home, 2831 Ga. ave. nw., on Friday, December 24, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Stephen Church at 9 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited.

WALTON, LOUISE MOON. On Wednesday, December 22, 1948, at Alexandria Hospital, LOUISE MOON WALTON, wife of the late Edward Walton and mother of Mrs. Willard H. Wright of Washington and Mrs. Harcourt M. Wade of Alexandria; sister of Mrs. Jessie M. Ballinger of Bethesda, Md. Funeral services on Thursday, December 23, at 3 p. m., from the Wheatley Funeral Home, Alexandria, Va. Interment Woodlawn Friends Cemetery.

YOUNG, BERTHA M. Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 21, 1948, BERTHA M. YOUNG of 3515 13th st. nw., beloved wife of the late Thomas C. Young and mother of Mrs. Gladys Y. Holker of Arlington, Va., John Thomas Young of Silver Spring, Md., and Calvin L. Young of Washington, D. C.; sister of Mrs. Maude Davis of Laytonsville, Md.; also survived by five grandchildren. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw. Services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 2430 K st. nw., on Friday, December 24, at 10:30 a. m. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

—Deaths—

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Quadrupled Fund For Schools Sought

Prince Georges County members of the Maryland General Assembly were asked last night to support legislation that would give the county 10 million dollars next year to meet emergency school building needs.

The request came from 75 persons representing a score of organizations affiliated with the county-wide committee on education.

The group, meeting at Hyattsville Elementary School, asked the legislators to support a proposal to quadruple the State incentive fund, maintained to aid Maryland counties in financing school construction programs, and to work for additional school grants in other forms.

Present at the meeting were five of the seven county members of the Assembly. They were: Senator L. Harold Sothoron and Delegates George G. McLeish, T. Raymond Burch, Leroy Pumphrey and Perry O. Wilkinson. Wilkinson is chairman of the delegation.

Through Wilkinson, the delegation pledged its support to the school-aid legislation.

Members of the delegation were told during the meeting that an expenditure of more than 25 million dollars will be needed to meet the county's school needs by 1953. The estimate of funds needed was based on an assumption that the 1953 school population will be 38,500 pupils. The schools this year house 24,379 pupils, although existing facilities were built to accommodate 18,640, the delegation was told.

The figures were given in a preview of a 52-page report on current school needs, which will be released by the committee to the public in the near future.

Caesar Aiello Heads Catholic Charities Board

Caesar L. Aiello, mayor of Hyattsville, is the new president of the Board of Catholic Charities here.

Aiello

His election to succeed Dr. Henry J. Crosson took place Monday at the organization's offices, 1441 Rhode Island ave. nw. Dr. Crosson resigned after 10 years' service. Regular election of officers and board members will take place at the annual meeting in March.

Aiello, an attorney, is also secretary of the Community Chest Federation and president of the Rotary Club of College Park. Archbishop Patrick A. O'Boyle, chairman of the board, presided at the election meeting.

Water Contract Awarded

Three contracts totaling $211,937 for construction of a new water supply system were awarded last night by the Falls Church city council.

The bids covered only some phases of an over-all project, which will cost one million dollars and will link Falls Church almost directly to the Dalecarlia Reservoir in Washington.

Awarded the contract to install pipe in the new water system was A. Stanley Mundy & Co. of Woodbridge, N. J., on their low bid of $159,471.

The Dravo Corp. of Philadelphia had the most favorable bid for installation of three water pumps at 7060.

Nance and Vividelli of Falls Church were awarded the contract to build a pumping station near Chesterbrook on their offer of $45,406.

Contracts for water pipe and valves already have been awarded.

Award of a contract for a million-gallon storage tank for the new system was deferred; the bids were referred to the council's consulting engineer, W. M. Johnson, for further study.

In other action, it approved a police pension fund.

In approving the fund, the council specified no deductions are to be taken from police salaries or benefits paid from the fund until rates are determined by a pension board created during the session.

In Arlington

Virginia Tax Challenger Is Fined $50

A man who challenged Virginia's right to tax persons who live in Virginia but who maintain residence in other States was fined $50 and costs yesterday in Arlington County Court.

He was W. T. McKinnon, 44, of 1523 S. Kent st., Arlington, who was charged with failing to file a tax return and answer a summons from the Arlington commissioner of revenue to explain why.

McKinnon, a Bureau of Engraving and Printing employe, who maintains his residence in South Carolina, declined to take the stand in court yesterday.

"I believe that having to answer questions under oath is the next thing to treason," he declared.

Arlington Commissioner of Revenue Harry K. Green testified that McKinnon had failed to file the return and hadn't answered Green's summons.

At an earlier court hearing, McKinnon had indicated he might appeal any conviction "to the Supreme Court." After yesterday's conviction the commissioner of revenue's office reported he had promised to file a return by mail.

McKinnon's was one of more than 30 similar cases in which fines have been imposed. Several others were fined $30 each but the fines were suspended after the defendants indicated willingness to file the returns.

Polish DP Family Finds Haven in Maryland

This will be a Christmas long to be remembered by Anthonyi Hruzd, 31; his frail, blonde, 26-year-old wife, Amelia, and their 18-month-old daughter, Irena.

For a pretty, freshly painted and furnished five-room cottage situated on 90 acres of fertile Maryland farm land has replaced the drear homelessness of the displaced persons camp in Germany, their abode for so long.

The little family of Polish Catholics arrived early yesterday after a boat trip from Europe to live on and help work the Annapolis farm of Anthony Muto, Washington editor of Movietone News.

Muto, married but childless, applied for the family to the Displaced Persons Commission. He believes the three are the first displaced persons to settle in Maryland.

Joy and Incredulity

Joy, mingled with doubt and astonishment, animated the faces of Anthonyi and Amelia when they were shown their new home—complete even to a fully stocked larder.

"Is this all for us?" they burbled in excited Polish to the somewhat discomfited newsreel executive. "Aren't you going to live here, also? How many other families will share it? May we use all of the rooms . . .?"

Muto, who picked up a smattering of German in his travels about Europe as a newspaperman, had them translate the queries into that tongue, which he used in replying.

"Brother!" he remarked to a reporter, "am I having the time doing with what little German I know."

Anthonyi, underweight at 160 pounds on a 6-foot frame, had been captured while with the Polish army as the Nazi juggernaut crushed his native land.

A farmer in civilian life, he continued to work the soil for his German masters as a prisoner of war for six back-breaking years.

Then came the doubtful "freedom" of a displaced persons camp in Bavaria.

Here, he met the blonde Amelia, fatherless since the war, and separated from her mother and two sisters, who were left behind the iron curtain in Soviet-dominated Vilna.

Of the three, the infant alone, bright-eyed and chubby, bears no signs of the European tragedy. The parents saved their own meager fat and sugar rations that the youngster might thrive.

Klan Presents Radio To Former Slave, 107

Talladega, Ala., Dec. 22 (AP).—The Ku Klux Klan gave a former Negro slave, now 107 years old, a radio so he can "hear the preachers."

Jack Riddle celebrated his 107th birthday recently. He said then he missed hearing the sermons, since he was too old to attend church.

Several carloads of Klansmen drove to Riddle's cabin last night. One was dressed as Santa Claus. He called "Uncle Jack" and his wife, Josey, 86, to the porch and presented the radio.

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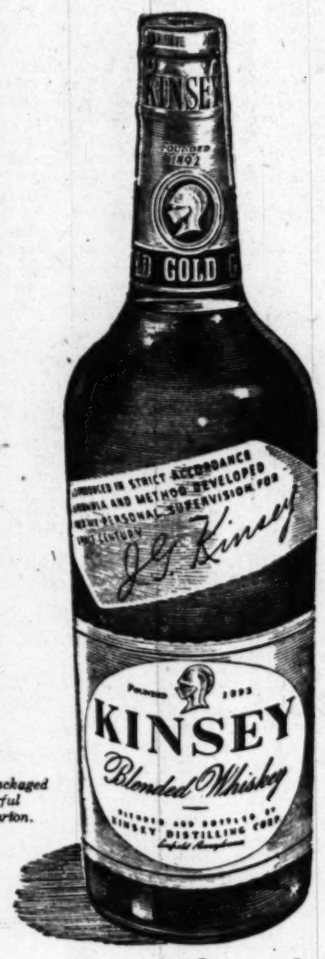

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41% of Pepco Stock Owned In D. C., Area

By S. Oliver Goodman

Out of 2,961,250 outstanding shares of Potomac Electric Power Co., 41 per cent now is owned by investors in Washington and two nearby States as compared with only 24 per cent at the start of the year.

This was shown last night in a new compilation released by R. Roy Dunn, vice president and treasurer of Pepco. The study of distribution as of December 3, 1948, showed:

In Washington there were 5681 holders of Pepco common stock, as compared with 5263 on September 7 and 3509 on December 31, 1947. On the latest date, these investors owned 947,774 shares as compared with 857,220 shares on September 7 and 606,985 on December 31, 1947.

In Maryland there were 1768 holders, against 1556 on September 7 and 1030 on December 31, 1947. Their holdings totaled 193,558 shares on the latest date, compared with 147,026 on September 7 and 65,751 on December 31, 1947.

In Virginia there were 955 holders, against 904 on September 7 and 718 on December 31, 1947. Their holdings totaled 86,674 on the latest date, against 77,547 on September 7 and 40,907 on December 31, 1947.

Rest of Pepco stock is distributed in every State and some foreign countries. The rest of the country has shown a steady decline in ownership of Pepco securities, as Washington and two nearby States have absorbed their sales.

Price of Pepco common has held within about a 2 point range all year, with present price of 13¼ about the same as it was at the beginning of this year. High for 1948 was 14⅜ and low 12¼, a remarkable record in a bear market.

NAMED TO BOARD: Robert C. Baker, a vice president of American Security & Trust Co., has been elected to the board of directors, it was announced last night. Baker succeeds John Stewart, who resigned because his business affiliations out of town prevented his attendance at board meetings. Baker resigned as an officer of a Richmond bank in December, 1945, to become a vice president and director of Columbia National Bank. The latter was consolidated with A. S. & T. in December, 1946. For a short time during the latter part of 1944 Baker was a special assistant to the director of the Textile Clothing and Leather Bureau of the War Production Board.

BAKER

WHO'S WHO TODAY: Bertram B. Warren has been elected treasurer of General Foods Corp. and Wesby R. Parker has been named vice president in charge of the General Foods sales division . . . Ira H. Cram, formerly of Pure Oil Co., has been elected vice president of Contental Oil Co. and P. C. Lauinger has been named a director . . . Frank J. Berry will become vice president of Northern Pacific Railway on January 1, succeeding J. G. Morrison who retires after 55 years of railroad service . . . Carlos D. Kelly has been elected vice president in charge of sales for Purolator Products, Inc.

BONUS: Distribution of a year-end bonus of $1,540,000 to employes of Brown & Bigelow Co., manufacturer of advertising specialties, was announced by Charles A. Ward, president and general manager. Total of 5059 regular employes will share in the distribution, including a sales force of 1055 in the United States and foreign countries.

NEW BIDDING RULE: The Interstate Commerce Commission ruled yesterday that when a person or firm is employed as an adviser on a proposed issue of railroad securities, he may not bid when the issue is offered for sale. The regulation, which will apply only to future transactions, was announced in an order authorizing Kansas City Southern Railway Co. to pay a $50,000 fee to Kuhn, Loeb & Co., New York investment bankers, for advisory services performed in 1945. In that year, the railroad employed the banking firm to work out a plan for issuing 40 million dollars of first mortgage bonds and six million dollars of promissory notes which were used to redeem outstanding KCS securities. Invitations to bid were sent to 305 investment houses. The only, and successful, bid was submitted by a syndicate of 49 members headed by Kuhn, Loeb.

WARNING: Don't delay too long on that Friday afternoon visits to your bank or building and loan association. In order to give their employes a running start on Christmas, at least two banks, American Security & Trust Co. and Union Trust Co. will close at 2 p. m. instead of the usual late Friday hours. However, most of the institutions will keep open the usual hours, but with skeleton forces. Some of the building and loan associations plan to close at noon Friday.

New York Cotton

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—Cotton futures price movements were narrow in slow dealings today. Final prices were 50 cents a bower to 15 cents higher. The approaching holidays, lack of interest in cotton textiles, and the absence of stimulating news from the primary spot markets contributed to the dullness in futures.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net ch.
Mch	32.18	32.34	32.10	12.10	— 6
May	31.97	32.03	31.86	31.90	—10
July	31.04	31.09	30.98	30.98	— 6
Oct.	28.46	28.51	28.42	28.44	+ 1
Dec	28.28	28.32	28.28	28.28	+ 2
Mch	28.10	28.11	28.06	28.10	

Middling spot 32.77†, off 8. †Nominal.

Quotations on N. Y. Stock Exchange

By The Associated Press

Total sales, 1,000,000 shares; previous day, 1,000,000; week ago, 921,480; year ago, 1,191,070; two years ago, closed; January 1 to date, 293,139,663; year ago, 248,168,494; two years ago, 357,479,250.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, Dec. 22.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Net Ch.
30 inds.	176.93	176.93	172.62	176.39	+ 0.04
20 rails	52.75	53.09	52.47	52.72	+ 0.12
15 utils.	33.97	33.19	32.95	33.05	—0.09
65 stks.	64.02	64.32	63.81	64.08	+ 0.01

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 95,000; railroads, 50,500; utilities, 28,700; total, 174,200.

	Sales Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
ABBOTT LAB	5	67¼	66½	67¼	+ ⅛
ACF-Brill Mot	7	3	2⅞	3	— ⅛
Acme Stl	5	46	45¼	45¼	— ¼
Adams Exp	2	18⅝	18½	18½	— ⅛
Addressog-Mult	3	28¼	28	28⅛	+ ⅛
Admiral Corp	15	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	+ ⅛
Air Reduction	37	20½	19½	20	+ ⅝
Alaska Juneau	13	3¼	3¼	3¼	
Alaska Inc	9	14	13¾	14	— ⅛
Alleghany Corp	21	2⅜	2	2⅛	+ ⅛
Alleghany pf	5	46	45¼	46	— ¼
Alleg Lud Stl	8	24⅛	24¼	24¼	— ⅛
Allen Indust	1	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	
Al Chem&Dye	15	178¼	178	178	— ¼
Allied Mills	7	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	+ ⅛
Allied Strs	21	28¼	28⅛	28¼	+ ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg	52	27⅛	26¾	26¾	— ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg pf	6	77	76½	77	+ 1
Amal Leather	9	3½	3½	3½	
Amerada Pet	5	93⅛	91½	93⅛	+ 2
Am Ag Ch Del	1	36	36	36	
Am Airlines	82	7⅜	7⅛	7⅜	+ ⅛
Am Airlines pf	9	53⅞	52½	53¾	+ 1⅛
Am Bank Note	9	20¼	20¼	20¼	— ⅛
Am Brake Shoe	9	33¼	32¾	32⅞	— ⅛
Am Broadcast	19	8⅛	8	8	— ⅛
Am Cable & R	26	3⅝	3½	3⅝	+ ⅛
Am Can	22	81½	80¾	81½	+ ⅝
Am Car & Fdy	1	21¾	21¾	21¾	+ ⅛
Am Ch & Chle	4	21⅝	21¼	21⅜	+ ⅛
Am Chicle	3	43½	43½	43½	+ ⅛
Am Colortype	1	15½	15½	15½	+ ⅛
Am Crystal S	2	15	15	15	— ⅛
Am Cyanamid	16	40⅝	39¾	39¾	— ⅝
Am Cyan pf	2	101	101	101	
Am Export L	9	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	— ⅛
Am for Pow	8	1⅛	1	1	
Am & FP $7 pf	7	45½	45	45¼	+ ⅛
Am & F P $6 pf	4	41	40¾	40¾	— ⅛
Am & F P 2 pf	1	63¾	63¾	63¾	— ¼
Am Hide & Le	14	3¾	3¾	3¾	
Am Home Prod	22	25¾	24⅞	25⅛	+ ⅛
Am Locomot	28	17¼	17	17⅛	+ ⅛
Am Locomot pf	1	97	97	97	+ ¼
Am M & Fdy	9	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	
Am Metal	1	29	29	29	— ⅛
Am Molasses	4	6	6	6	— ⅛
Am Pow & Lt	23	8	8	8	— ⅛
Am P&L $6 pf	4	85¼	85½	85½	
Am P&L $5 pf	2	72¼	71½	72	+ ¼
Am Rad & S S	66	13¾	13¾	14	+ ⅛
Am Safety Raz	3	6¼	6¼	6¼	
Am Seating	2	24½	24	24½	+ ⅛
Am Smelt & R	12	54¾	53¾	54¼	+ ⅛
Am Stl Fdrs	2	27	26⅝	26⅝	— ⅛
Am Stores	2	22¼	21⅞	22¼	+ ⅛
Am Stove	1	11¼	11¼	11¼	+ ⅛
Am Sugar Ref	6	39½	39¼	39½	+ ⅛
Am Tel & Tel	27	149¾	149¼	149¾	+ ⅛
Am Tobacco	8	62¼	62¼	62¼	+ ⅛
Am Viscose	8	60⅜	60¼	60¼	+ ⅛
Am Wat Wks	3	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	
Am Woolen	18	36¼	35¼	35¼	—1¼
Am Zinc L&S	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	
Anaconda Cop	28	33	32¾	32¾	— ⅛
Anchor Hock G	7	24¼	23¾	24	+ ⅛
Ander-Prich O	27	22¾	22⅜	22⅜	— ⅛
Arch-Dan-M	8	21⅝	21⅜	21⅜	— ⅛
Armco Stl	9	25⅝	25⅜	25⅜	— ⅛
Armour & Co	64	7⅝	7½	7½	— ⅛
Armour pr pf	2	69	69	69	
Armstrong Ck	1	47¼	47¼	47¼	— ⅛
Artloom Carpet	2	13½	13½	13½	— ⅛
Asso Dry Gds	23	10½	10⅜	10⅜	— ⅛
Associated Inv	1	30⅞	30⅞	30⅞	— ⅛
Atch T & S F	14	100⅞	100½	100⅝	— ⅛
A T F Inc	3	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
Atl Coast Line	6	98	98	98	+ ¼
Atl G&W Ind	6	46	45	46	+ ¼
Atl G&W Ind pf	1	76	76	76	+ ¼
Atl Refining	25	39½	38¾	39¼	+ ⅛
Atlas Corp	6	20¼	20¼	20¼	— ⅛
Atlas Tack	1	20	20	20	
Auto Nichols	1	5	5	5	
Autocar Co	4	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅛
Autom Canteen	8	11¾	11¾	11¾	— ⅛
Avco Mfg	37	7¼	7	7⅛	— ⅛
Avco Mfg pf	4	43	43	43	
BABBIT B. T.	2	14	14	14	— ¼
Bald Loco	38	13¼	13¼	13¼	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio	40	21¼	20¾	20¾	— ⅝
Balt & Ohio pf	2	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
Bangor & Ar	1	21¼	21¼	21¼	— ⅛
Barker Bros	4	21½	20¾	21	+ ⅛
Barnsdall Oil	32	44¼	44	44	— ⅛
Bath Iron Wks	1	16¾	16¾	16¾	— ⅛
Bearings Cigars	4	2	2	2	
Beatrice Foods	2	22	22	22	— ⅛
Beaunit Mills	2	20⅝	20	20	— ⅛
Beech Aircraft	13	15½	15¼	15¼	— ⅛
Beech-Nut Pack	1	34¾	34¾	34¾	— ⅛
Belding-Hem	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
Bell Aircraft	37	14¾	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
Bell & Howell	1	34¼	34¼	34¼	— ⅛
Bendix Aviation	27	44¼	43¾	44	+ ⅛
Bend Home Ap	11	10⅞	10⅝	10⅝	— ⅛
Benef Ind Ln	1	20¼	20¼	20¼	— ⅛
Ben In Ln 4 pf	3	90¼	90¼	90¼	— ¼
Best & Co	3	30¾	30¾	30¾	— ⅛
Best Foods	3	50¼	50¼	50¼	— ⅛
Beth Steel	32	31½	31¼	31¼	— ⅛
Bigelow-Sanf	1	10½	10½	10½	— ⅛
Black & Decker	8	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞	— ⅛
Blaw-Knox	6	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
Bliss E. W.	2	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
Boeing Airpl	10	63¼	63¼	63¼	— ⅛
Bohn Al & Br	10	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Bond Strs	34	16¼	16	16	— ⅛
Borden Co	9	27¼	27	27	— ⅛
Borg-Warner	2	54¼	53¾	54¼	+ ⅛
Boston & Me	4	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
Bower Roll Br	1	32¾	32¾	32¾	— ⅛
Braniff Airw	13	9	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Bridgep Brass	18	8¾	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅛
Bridges Mfg	4	29	28¾	29	+ ⅛
Briggs & Strat	8	27¾	27¼	27¼	— ⅛
Bristol-My	3	30	29¾	29¾	— ⅛
Bklyn Un Gas	7	19½	19½	19½	— ⅛
Brown & Bro	1	8	8	8	
Brown Shoe	1	30½	30½	30½	+ ⅛
Brunswick-Bal	2	19¼	19¼	19¼	+ ⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	21	15⅞	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
Budd Co	20	8	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅛
Bull Nlas El pf	2	87½	87½	87½	— ½
Bullard Co	4	34½	33¾	33¾	— ⅛
Bulova Watch	2	35	35	35	
Burling Mills	19	7⅜	7⅛	7⅛	— ⅛
Burl Mills cv pf	1	73¼	73¼	73¼	— ¼
Burr Add Ma	44	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Bush Terminal	3	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Butler Bros	8	9	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Butte C & Z	1	22	22	22	— ⅛
Byers A M	1	22	22	22	— ⅛
CALLAHAN Z-L	18	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	— ⅛
Calumet & Hec	16	8¼	8	8	— ⅛
Campbell W	2	22	22	22	— ⅛
Can Dry G A	28	9¾	9½	9½	— ⅛
Canad Pacific	63	13¾	13½	13⅝	— ⅛
Capital Airl	48	6	5⅞	5⅞	— ⅛
Care F & L	17	26¾	26¾	26¾	— ⅛
Carpenter Stl	1	30½	30½	30½	— ⅛
Carrier Corp	10	12⅞	12⅝	12⅝	— ⅛
Carriers & Gen	3	35¼	35¼	35¼	— ⅛
Case J I Co	3	35¾	35¼	35¼	— ⅛
Caterpil Trac	12	52¾	52¼	52¼	— ⅛
Celanese Corp	2	26¼	26¼	26¼	— ⅛
Celotex Corp	4	16	16	16	— ⅛
Cent Aguirre	15	16⅞	16⅝	16⅝	— ⅛
Cent Foundry	12	10½	9¾	10	— ⅛
Cen Ga Ry	12	22¼	22	22	— ⅛
Cen Ga Ry pf	2	22½	22½	22½	— ⅛
Cen Hud G&E	9	37¼	37	37	— ⅛
Cen NY Pw pf	1	80¾	80¾	80¾	— ⅛
Cent RR NJ	3	33½	32½	32½	— ⅛
Cent Violeta S	1	10½	10½	10½	— ⅛
Cerro de Pas	11	20⅝	19¾	19¾	— ⅛
Certain-teed	14	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
Champ P & P	1	22¾	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Checker Cab	1	8	8	8	— ⅛
Ches & Ohio	72	31¾	31¾	31¾	— ⅛
Ches & Ohio pf	1	72	72	72	
Chicago Corp	10	10⅜	10⅛	10⅛	— ⅛
Chi & E Ill	4	5	5	5	
Chi & E Ill A	1	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	
Chi Grt W Pf	2	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	— ⅛
Chi Ind & LS	4	8¼	8¼	8¼	
Chi Ind & LS A	4	8¼	8¼	8¼	
Ch M SP & Pac	21	3¾	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
Ch MSP&P pf	13	33	32¾	32¾	— ⅛
Chi & NW	18	34¾	34¼	34¼	— ⅛
Chi & NW pf	1	26¾	26¾	26¾	— ⅛
Chi Pneu Tool	2	51	50¾	51	— ⅛
Chi Pn T $3 pf	2	32¾	32¾	32¾	— ⅛
Chi R I & Pac	14	33	32¾	32¾	— ⅛
Chi R&Pac pf	6	66¼	66¼	66¼	— ⅛
Childs Co	1	4¼	4¼	4¼	— ⅛
Chrysler Corp	16	53¾	53¼	53¼	— ⅛
Cin Gas&E	6	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Cin Mill Mch	6	21¼	20¾	21	+ ⅛
CIT Finan	26	43¾	43¼	43¼	— ⅛
City Ice & Fuel	2	29¼	29¼	29¼	— ⅛
City Stores	1	18	17¾	18	+ ⅛
Clev El Illum	9	40¼	40	40¼	— ⅛
Clev Graph Br	8	23½	23	23½	— ⅛
Climax Molyb	12	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
Clinton Ind	5	24⅛	24	24	— ⅛
Clopay Corp	3	5	4¾	4¾	— ⅛
Cluett Peabody	1	27¼	27¼	27¼	— ⅛
Cluett Pea 4 pf	1	75¾	75¾	75¾	— 2
Coca-Cola	3	136¼	135	135	
Colgate-Palm-P	13	32½	32	32	— ⅛
Collins & Aik	10	16¾	15½	16¼	+ ⅛
Colonial Mills	5	17¾	17¾	17¾	+ ⅛
Col Fuel & Ir	7	17¾	17½	17½	— ⅛
Colum Brcast A	9	22¾	22	22¼	+ ⅛
Colum Brcast B	8	22¼	21¾	22¼	+ ⅛
Colum Gas	13	11	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅛
Colum Pict	20	9¼	9¼	9¼	
Colum Pict pf	1	49¼	49¼	49¼	— ⅛
Colum Carbon	2	29½	29	29	— ⅛
Col & So Oh El	4	38½	37¾	38½	+ ¼
Coml Credit	6	48⅛	48	48⅛	— ⅛
Coml Solvents	31	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Com'with Edis	45	25⅝	25⅜	25⅝	— ⅛
Com'wlth & Sou	58	3	3	3	
Comm & So pf	5	91¼	90¾	91¼	+ ⅛
Conde Nast	5	9	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Consol Cigar	2	28¼	28¼	28¼	— ⅛
Cons Coppermin	6	4¼	4¼	4¼	— ⅛
Cons Edison	32	22¼	22	22	— ⅛
Cons Grocers	6	12⅜	12¼	12¼	— ⅛
Cons Laundries	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Cons Nat Gas	10	40	39½	39¾	— ⅛
Con RR Cuba pf	4	19¾	19¾	19¾	— ⅛
Cons Ret Strs	2	11¼	11¼	11¼	— ⅛
Cons Textile	3	9	9	9	— ⅛
Cons Vultee	41	9¾	9½	9⅝	— ⅛
Consum Pow	10	30	29¾	29¾	— ⅛
Consum Pw pf	1	104⅛	104	104⅛	— ⅛
Container Corp	6	24	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Cont Bak pf	1	86	86	86	— ⅛
Cont Can	32	94¼	93¾	94¼	+ ⅛
Cont Can pf	1	96½	96½	96½	+1¼
Cont Diam Fib	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	
Cont Ins	10	60	59¾	60	+ ¼
Cont Motors	18	8	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
Cont Oil Del	5	56¼	55½	55½	— ⅛
Cont Steel	4	15¾	15½	15½	— ⅛
Cooper-Bess	3	27	27	27	— ⅛
Copperweld Stl	2	16¾	16⅜	16⅜	— ⅛
Corn Products	14	58¾	58	58½	— ⅛
Cornell-Dub El	1	10½	10½	10½	— ⅛
Corning Glass	19	18⅜	18¼	18¼	— ⅛
Coty Inc	8	3¼	3¼	3¼	— ⅛
Coty Internat	8	3	3	3	
Crane Co	22	30¾	30	30½	— ⅛
Cream of Wh	2	23¼	23¼	23¼	— ⅛
Creameries Am	2	9	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Crown Cork&S	2	18½	18½	18½	— ⅛
Crown Zeller	2	22¾	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Crucible Steel	19	65¾	65¼	65¼	— ⅛
Crucible Stl pf	2	66	66	66	— ⅛
Cuban-Am Sug	3	14⅝	14⅜	14⅜	— ⅛
Cudahy Pack	19	16¾	16½	16½	— ⅛
Cuneo Press	1	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	— ⅛
Curtis Publishg	28	7½	7½	7½	— ⅛
Curtis Pub pr pf	2	48½	48½	48½	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wright	34	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wr A	3	23½	23¼	23¼	— ⅛
Cutler-Hammer	3	38¼	38	38	— ⅛
DANA CORP	13	22¾	22	22¼	+ ⅛
Davison Chem	6	19	19	19	— ⅛
Dayton P & L	22	25¾	25¼	25½	+ ⅛
Dayton Rub	8	9¾	9	9⅛	— ⅛
Decca Records	9	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Deep Rock Oil	7	27¾	27½	27½	— ⅛
Deere & Co	40	31¾	31¼	31¼	— ⅛
Del & Hudson	2	39½	39	39	— ¼
Del Lack & W	5	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Den & RGW	10	26¾	26½	26½	— ⅛
Den & RGW pf	2	47½	47	47	— ⅛
Detroit Edison	33	20½	20	20	+ ⅛
Det-Mich Stove	3	9¼	9¼	9¼	+ ⅛
De Vilbiss	6	11¼	11	11¼	— ⅛
Devoe & R A	16	19¾	19½	19½	— ⅛
Diam Match	2	39	39	39	— ⅛
Diam Mat pf	1	29	29	29	— ⅛
Diam T Motor	1	11¼	11¼	11¼	— ⅛
Dist Corp-Seag	35	18½	18¼	18⅜	— ⅛
Divco Corp	3	14	14	14	— ⅛
Dr. Pepper	8	30½	30½	30½	+ ⅛
Doehler-Jarvis	10	31¾	31¼	31¼	+ ⅛
Dome Mines	13	13½	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
Douglas Aircr	9	51¼	50½	50¼	—1¼
Dow Chem	11	48¼	47¾	48	— ⅛
Dow Chem pf	1	101½	101½	101½	— ¼
Dresser Indus	24	19¾	19½	19½	— ⅛
Dresser Ind pf	1	83¾	83¾	83¾	— ⅛
Dunhill Int	6	12¾	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
Duplan Corp	1	12¾	12¾	12¾	+ ⅛
du Pont de N	11	158¼	157½	158¼	+ ¼
du Pont pf	1	120½	120½	120½	+ 1
du Pont 3½ pf	1	97¾	97¾	97¾	+ ¾
EAGLE-PICH	3	18¾	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
Eastern Air L	29	16⅝	16	16⅛	+ ⅛
Eastern Corp	7	14	13¾	14	— ⅛
East S Stl	4	12¾	12⅝	12⅝	— ⅛
Eastman Kodak	25	42½	41¾	42⅛	+ ⅛
Eaton Mfg	3	31¼	31¼	31¼	— ⅛
Edis Bros Strs	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Ekco Prod	1	17¼	17¼	17¼	— ⅛
Elastic Stop N	7	7	6¾	7	+ ⅛
El Auto-Lite	22	41½	40¾	41¼	+ ⅛
Elec Boat	9	14¼	14	14	— ⅛
El & Mus Ind	2	11	11	11	— ⅛
El Power & Lt	56	21	20	21	+ ⅛
El Storage Bat	3	50¾	50¾	50¾	— ⅛
Elliott Co	6	37	37	37	+ ⅛
Elliott cv pf	1	37	37	37	+ 1¾
Emerson El M	7	13¾	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
Emer Rad & Ph	8	14¼	14	14¼	— ⅛
Equitt Off Bldg	1	4¼	4¼	4¼	— ⅛
Erie R R	16	13	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
Erie RR pf A	2	55½	55½	55½	— ⅛
Eureka Vac	2	4½	4½	4½	— ⅛
Evans Products	3	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Eversharp	11	9	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Ex-Cell-O	9	35¾	35	35¼	— ⅛
FAIRBANKS M	4	38¾	38¼	38¼	— ⅛
Fajardo Sugar	5	22½	21¾	21¾	— ⅛
Farns Tel & R	25	7¼	7	7¼	— ⅛
Fedders-Quig	8	14¾	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
Fed-Mogul	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Fed Mot Truck	4	5⅞	5⅝	5⅝	— ⅛
Federal D Strs	10	27¼	27¼	27¼	— ⅛
Felt & Tarr Mfg	2	20	20	20	— ⅛
Fid-P Fire Ins	1	65½	65½	65½	+ ⅛
Firestone T&R	11	44¼	44	44¼	— ⅛
First Nat Strs	1	53	53	53	+ ⅛
Flintkote	22	30¾	30¼	30¼	— ⅛
Florence Stove	2	27	27	27	— ⅛
Florida Pow	5	13¾	13½	13¾	+ ⅛
Florsh Sh A	1	12½	12½	12½	— ⅛
Follansbee Stl	8	24	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Food Fair Strs	3	9	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Food Mach	17	27¼	27	27	— ⅛
Foster Wheeler	2	25¾	25½	25½	— ⅛
Fruehauf Trl	3	21¼	21¼	21¼	— ⅛
GABRIEL CO	6	7	6¾	7	+ ⅛
Gair (Robert)	10	6¼	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
Gair (Rob) pf	3	17½	17½	17½	— ⅛
Gamble Skog	8	9¼	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
Gamble Skog pf	2	40¼	40¼	40¼	— ⅛
Gardner-Denver	3	17¼	17	17	— ⅛
Gar Wood Ind	15	3¼	3¼	3¼	— ⅛
Garford Corp	9	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	— ⅛
Gen Am Invest	14	14¼	13¾	14¼	— ⅛
Gen Am Trans	9	43½	43	43½	—1
Gen Baking	2	10	10	10	— ⅛
Gen Cable	11	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Gen Cable 2 pf	4	30	30	30	— ⅛
Gen Cigar	2	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜	— ⅛
Gen Elec	66	39½	38¾	39⅛	+ ⅛
Gen Foods	7	39¾	39¼	39¼	— ⅛
Gen Foods pf	1	92½	92½	92½	— ⅛
Gen Instrument	11	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
Gen Mills	4	51	51	51	— ⅛
Gen Motors	48	58¾	58¼	58¼	— ⅛
Gen Mot 3¾ pf	3	97½	97½	97½	— ⅛
Gen Out Advt	2	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅛

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Please Call the Cop

This Pro Football War Has Comedy of Burlesque Blackout

By Red Smith
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THERE IS a fruity sort of charm about this professional football war which fills the impartial reader with joy. It has the rich comic quality of a burlesque blackout wherein a stranger barges into a Fifth Avenue Club and starts beating a somnolent member over the brow, at the same time crying copper in loud and piteous tones.

This is no argument for the National League's side of the case. There are pig-headed men in the National League who are full of pride. If there weren't there might never have been any war. Just a little more foresighted inclination to make concessions in the New York area probably would have frozen the All-American Conference out of the metropolis and thus aborted its delivery as a league of major proportions.

Not, to be sure, that Tim Mara didn't have considerable justice on his side when he declined to yield juicy playing dates to Dan Topping when the latter was moving his Brooklyn Dodgers (then a National League franchise) into Yankee Stadium. Tim had, at least, squatters' rights on the New York territory and the financial record of Topping's team in Brooklyn certainly gave him no especial claim to concessions on this side of the river.

Nevertheless, Topping did have an alternative to accepting the playing dates Mara was willing to give him. He took the alternative—and $100,000—and jumped to the All-America and as a result everybody has gone barreling merrily along toward the poorhouse ever since.

IT CAN BE granted that the National Leaguers had squatters' rights on pro football. But they have acted as though theirs was a divine right, an exclusive charter granted by heaven to employ football players at $100 a week. If they didn't choose to make war, they certainly made little effort to avert a conflict.

From the beginning, however, the All-America Conference has been the aggressor. When the A-A clubs came into being, their first move was to raid the roster of the National League teams. They moved boldly into territory where the National already was operating and made googoo eyes at National League customers.

And from the beginning, it has been the All-America owners who have hollered for peace. They started the fight without invitation, the business competition they created sent costs soaring so wildly that nobody could make money, and when the first drop of blood showed, it was they who cried out in pain.

THEREIN lies the charm of this little tableau. A guy walks up and slugs another flat and without dropping his blackjack yells. "Quit hitting me, you brute! What do you want to go and get sore for?"

In the last three years, there have been unnumbered pleas for peace, all from the All-America. Admiral Jonas Ingram, the Conference Commander, seldom makes a speech without an olive branch in each hand. He usually begins by vowing that he won't get down on his knees and beg from anybody, and the rest of his oration is one long, heart-tugging entreaty.

The inconclusive parley in Philadelphia Monday was sought by Conference members. At any rate, they came on from Cleveland to the National League's headquarters, so it is fair to conclude that the overtures came from them.

WHEN NOTHING came of the conversations, the A-A delegates went back west complaining that they'd been jobbed. A Conference member told the Associated Press that before they came East it had been agreed by telephone that they would discuss a merger creating two seven-club leagues.

When they got to Philadelphia they were told the National League would open its doors to the Cleveland Brown and the San Francisco 49ers; all other conference teams must be junked. The National League said take it or leave it and the All-America, for the time being at least, left it.

Even if the war goes on and everyone continues to lose money, the Philadelphia incident looks like a major victory for the National League.

It is difficult to blame the National League for taking advantage of the opportunity offered in Philadelphia. If, in this land of free enterprise, a competitor has a perfect right to set up shop across the street from your store, then you have an equal right to use any legal means to combat him.

He's 86 Today

Mack Still Dreams of Another Flag

By Charles Welsh

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22. (AP). Connie Mack, still trim and erect as the starched high collars he always wears, marks his eighty-sixth birthday tomorrow clinging to the same valiant ambition that has been his since 1931.

"Just one more pennant, that's all I want," the spry owner-manager of the Philadelphia Athletics said today. That's the same birthday present he's sought for 17 American League seasons.

But this year something new has been added: A cautious hint from Connie that his dream can come true before another anniversary rolls around.

Connie, whose sharp-eyed appraisal of players and teams isn't dimmed a bit by the years, was too cagey to say flatly the A's will win.

But he thumbed through the record books to the page that showed a fourth-place finish last season. And then, as though looking in the back of that same book for the answer, ventured to promise for 1949:

"We should be a little better."

Whether that would be good enough to win the flag he wouldn't say.

Mack values three things on a baseball team: pitching, hitting and speed, about in the order named. For 1949, the A's should have one of the best rounded pitching staffs in either league."

He admitted he was counting heavily on comebacks by Phil Marchildon and Bill McCahan, who had "a rough year" in 1948.

"I THINK THEY'LL be a lot better next year," Connie said. With Joe Coleman, Dick Fowler and Lou Brissie also in top form, the Macks would have speed, skill and depth, to borrow a football phrase.

On the hitting side, Connie cited the addition of veterans Taft Wright and Wally Moses, both dangerous batters, especially in the clutch. He said he expects them to be useful as pinch-hitters, and able reserves for the first-string outfield of Sam Chapman, Elmer Valo and Barney McCoskey.

And there's more potential power in the bat of Outfielder Coaker Triplett, up from the International League for his third try in the majors. Connie bought Coaker from Buffalo where he led the Triple A circuit last summer with a .353 batting average. Triplett, 35, has played for both the Cardinals and Phils, but found National League pitching not to his liking.

Shirley Povich, The Washington Post's sports columnist, will resume his column next week.

A KISS FOR THE QUEEN—The 1949 Junior Swim for Health contest winners at Miami Beach, Fla., yesterday were King Albert Galian, 3½ years old, of Miami Beach, and Queen Sheila Ann Poland, 3½, of Miami. The king has a kiss for the queen

Only 1285 On Hand for 12th Win in Row at Home

By Herb Heft
Post Reporter

Washington's automatic Caps rang up an easy 102-77 victory over the powerless Providence Steam Rollers last night in a Basketball Association of America game at Uline Arena.

Although their platoon system called for their second team to see as much action as their first, the Caps ran up their highest point total of the year.

A lonely crowd of 1285, smallest local turnout of the season, shouted their derision at the Steam Rollers' futile efforts to evade their eighteenth loss in 20 games. The Caps, atop the B.A.A.'s Eastern division, now have a 20-2 record.

Old dependable Bob Feerick, the Santa Clara hotshot poured in 24 points for the 28 minutes he played, and his total tied Bones McKinney's individual scoring record for a game this season.

Still another record was broken by the Caps, who tallied 59 points in the first half. They were the most ever scored in a first half at Uline Arena, breaking the Caps' mark of 54 against Detroit in 1946.

Rollers Fade Early

If Coach Red Auerbach had permitted his first team to play more of the game, the chances are that the Caps would have threatened the league scoring record of 117 set by Minneapolis against this same Providence club last month.

The Rollers looked like a major league team for only the first four minutes of the first quarter, and for a five-minute period in the last quarter.

In that first stanza, 6-foot 6-inch Brady Walker kept the Rollers in the game as he outjumped Kleggie Hermsen for the backboard rebounds. The Caps then moved the colorful McKinney under the boards and pulled away to stay.

Paced by Feerick and Johnny Norlander, who scored 19 points in his 28 minutes of action, the Caps ran wild, leading 32-17, at the first quarter, 59-36 at half, and 79-52 going into the last quarter.

Toomay Sparkles

With the Caps' second team of Jack Toomay, Fred Scolari, Dick O'Keefe, Sonny Hertzberg and Matt Zunic in the game, the Washington club appeared on its way to a scoring record. Toomay poured in two quick field goals in the first minute, and two minutes later the Caps owned an 89-50 lead.

Then the Rollers showed life for the second time and played the Caps off their feet for five minutes. The Cap guns were silent while Ernie Calverley poured in two field goals and Kenny Sailors fired two more.

But then Hertzberg and Toomay began hitting from the outside, and the Caps, finishing with a flourish, outscored the Rollers, 13-9, in the last four minutes.

Norlander and Feerick shared honors for the Caps' first team. Katkaveck's floor game also stood out for the first club, while Jack Toomay's 10 points, all in the last period, were outstanding for the Caps' second squad.

Providence	G	FG	FP	P
O'Keefe,f	2	1	4	5
H'backer,f	3	4	4	10
E.Sh'on,f	1	2	1	4
Sailors,f	3	6	1	12
Walker,c	8	1	0	17
Nostrand,g	4	3	3	11
Hubbard,g	1	0	0	2
Meinhold,g	0	0	1	0
Pugh,g	1	1	0	3
H.Sh'on,g	4	1	1	9
Totals	28	31	14	77

Wash'gton	G	FG	FP	P
O'Keefe,f	2	1	4	5
N'lander,f	8	3	1	19
McK'ney	3	0	2	6
Zunic,f	4	4	5	12
H'berg,f	2	0	1	4
Hermsen,c	2	1	1	5
Toomay,c	3	2	3	8
Feerick,g	11	2	0	24
Scolari,g	4	2	1	10
K'aveck,g	3	3	3	9
Totals	43	18	21	102

Washington	32	27	20	23—102
Providence	17	19	16	25— 77

Referees—Kennedy and Schoenfield.
Free throws missed: Washington—McKinney (2), Hermsen, Toomay. Providence—Schemllbacker (3), Sailors, Walker, Nostrand.

Knicks Win, 97-79; Mikan Draws 15,527

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—The New York Knickerbockers had their blazing fast break clicking tonight and smothered the Minneapolis Lakers, 97-79, in a Basketball Association of America contest at Madison Square Garden.

The season's largest New York pro crowd—15,527—most of whom came to see the Lakers' star center, George Mikan, was partially disappointed. Though the towering Mikan netted 24 points, he was handicapped by early fouls and had to play with extreme caution.

M'neapolis	G	FG	FP	P
Pollard,f	6	4	1	16
Gardner,f	2	2	2	6
Schaefer,f	5	2	2	12
Dyer,f	1	1	1	3
Mikan,c	8	8	8	24
Bloom,c	1	2	0	4
Forman,g	0	0	2	0
Perrin,g	3	0	4	6
Carlson,g	3	2	4	8
Jares,g	0	0	1	0
Totals	29	21	25	79

New York	G	FG	FP	P
Noel,f	9	3	2	21
Palmer,f	2	3	5	9
McGaha,f	1	2	2	4
Braun,f	3	1	1	9
Roth'berg,c	5	3	6	13
Knorek,c	2	1	6	7
Galiatin,c	7	2	3	16
Trenbaum,g	4	5	2	13
Byrnes,g	1	1	0	3
V.B.Kolff,g	1	1	2	3
Totals	37	23	29	97

Gas Company Wins

The Washington Gas Light Co. defeated the Federal Bureau of Investigation, 34-33, last night in a basketball game at Uline Arena.

Gas Co.	G	FG	P
Cambell,f	1	1	3
Weinert,f	4	3	11
Kreamer,f	0	0	0
Capone,f	0	0	0
Bugrue,f	0	0	0
Nelson,c	0	0	0
Taylor,c	2	1	5
Collins,g	1	0	2
Williams,g	3	3	9
Jones,g	0	4	4
Totals	11	12	34

FBI	G	FG	P
Kuny,f	0	0	0
Quinn,f	1	1	3
Buckley,f	0	1	1
Murnin,c	7	2	16
Kelley,g	2	2	6
Brewer,g	2	1	5
Totals	13	7	33

Score at half—Gas Co., 16; FBI, 13.

'49 Coaching Job

Skins' Owner Says It's Up to Turk; Turk Says It's Up to Boss

By Bill Burnett
Post Reporter

"If a change is made in the head coaching job of the Washington Redskins it will be at Turk Edwards' request, and his replacement will be hired on Turk Edwards' recommendation."

That was the gist of President George Marshall's answer last night to rumors that Edwards would be moved up to an executive position with the Redskins and a new head coach hired for 1949.

It left nothing certain, in line with the Redskins' annual December coyness about next year's coach.

General Manager Dick McCann added to the uncertainty with this statement: "I wouldn't say Mr. Marshall has made up his mind one way or another. Pro football is a changing business; you can't be sure of anything from the day to the next."

Edwards Explains His Setup

McCann pointed out the absurdity of reports that Frank Leahy of Notre Dame, Paul (Bear) Bryant of Kentucky, and Paul Brown of the Cleveland Browns were in line for the Redskin job.

"Leahy and Bryant," he said, "have just signed 10-year contracts where they are. Brown has publicly announced he is interested in getting out of pro football."

The background of relations between Owner Marshall and Coach Edwards may furnish the key to the mystery. At the Philadelphia draft meeting, where the rumors began, Edwards himself explained:

He's never had a written contract with Marshall. He hasn't even talked to Marshall for two years about his future as the Redskins' head coach. At that time, he said, Marshall told him he could have the job as long as he wanted it, then move up to a front office post, relieving Marshall of numerous executive duties.

Turk Leaves It Up to Marshall

"I'd like to coach for at least one more year," Edwards said at the Philadelphia meeting. "That should be just about all my nerves can take."

Yesterday, however, Edwards said he "hadn't even thought of next year." He'd heard nothing from Marshall about a change in the set-up, he said, but was certain he'd be satisfied with whatever arrangements Marshall made.

"We generally don't get around to talking about salary until about March 1," Turk said.

At his home in Lexington, Ky., Bryant, former Maryland coach, laughed at the rumor. "The Redskins already have a good head coach," he said.

It was Bryant's presence in Philadelphia, probably, which launched rumors. He is a close friend of Marshall's and Edwards', however, and has acted as an unofficial adviser and scout for some time.

Malcolm Scates Wins

The Malcolm Scates basketball squad last night defeated the 3A's team, 37-20, in a D. C. Recreation Department game in the Roosevelt League at Roosevelt High.

Skins Sign Tackle, No. 2 Draft Choice

The Redskins yesterday announced the signing of their No. 2 draft choice, Tackle Laurie Jack Niemi of Washington State, to a '49 contract. Their No. 1 selection, Halfback Bob Goode of Texas A. & M. was signed earlier.

The last 7 of 23 draft selections at Monday's N. F. L. meeting in Philadelphia were also announced. They are Guard Herbert Seigert, Illinois; Backs Robert Hainlen of Colorado A. and M., Tommy Hughes of Duke, Frank Pattee of Kansas, and Nick Sebek of Indiana, and Ends Oliver Fletcher of U. S. C. and Bill Clements of U. C. L. A.

In all, the Redskins drafted 8 backs, 6 tackles, 5 ends and 4 guards. Fourteen of their selections will play in bowl games.

A Pro Roundup

Collins' Club Will Play at Polo Grounds

NEW YORK, DEC. 22 (AP).—Owner Ted Collins said today that his transplanted National Football League club definitely will play in the Polo Grounds in New York next season, sharing dates with the New York Giants.

Collins said he had arranged a meeting with John V. Mara, president of the football Giants, and Horace Stoneham, head of the baseball Giants who lease the park to the football teams, for some time shortly after the holidays.

At this time a lease will be drawn up and a division of dates arranged. Each team will play six home games, including one in which the other New York club will be the visitor.

The Boston Yanks name will be dropped, but no other name has been chosen.

"Just call them the New York Somebodies," Collins said.

Brueil Says Pro Ball 'Will Stay in Buffalo'

Miami Beach, Fla., Dec. 22 (AP). James B. Brueil, owner of the Buffalo Bills of the All-America Football Conference, said today "Professional football will stay in Buffalo."

"Although our meeting (with the National Professional League in Philadelphia last week) wasn't successful in a solution, it pointed to a lot of sense coming out of the meeting," he said. "The stumbling blocks to our getting together are not so great. While the peace moves broke down, other moves are afoot."

Yankees, Browns Swap Draft Rights to Players

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—The New York Football Yankees of the All-America Conference, today sent Derrell Palmer, captain and regular tackle during the current campaign, to the Cleveland Browns in exchange for the draft rights to Alex Sarkisian, Northwestern center.

Sarkisian, All-Midwest center, is captain of the Northwestern team which meets California in the Rose Bowl on New Year's Day.

"This is the first step to strengthen our club for the war that the National League apparently wants," said Club President Dan Topping.

Middies Bow To Irish, 70-62; 3d Loss in Row

Special Dispatch to The Post

Chicago, Dec. 22.—United States Naval Academy suffered its third straight setback in five nights to a Midwestern foe here at the Stadium tonight, bowing to Notre Dame, 70 to 62, in the first meeting between the two schools.

It was the fourth straight triumph for the Irish, who opened the campaign with an overtime loss to Illinois.

The Middies came to the Midwest with a string of three wins, but were dropped by Northwestern on Saturday and Minnesota on Monday before bumping into Notre Dame.

Kevin O'Shea, South Bend's classy guard from San Francisco, made things tough for Navy, particularly in the second half. Altogether he rang up 21 tallies to take scoring honors. The Middies, however, lost the game at the free throw line, making good on only 14 of 31 charity attempts, while the Irish were converting 18 out of 23.

Capt. John Barrow led the Middies with 19 markers, although his sharpshooting teammate, Dan Mullaney, who hit for 15 points in the final period after being held scoreless through the first half.

Notre Dame never was headed, scoring the initial three tallies, holding a 16-5 edge at the termination of 10 minutes and a half-time bulge of 38-29. During one span the Irish ran up 11 points while holding the Middies scoreless.

Navy came closest at 23-21 and again at 25-23 shortly before the intermission. Their best in the second half was 42-37 before Notre Dame spurted to a 10-point margin and held it 'till just before the final horn.

Not. Dame	G	FG	FP	P
B'shorst,f	4	0	4	8
Kluck,f	1	0	1	2
O'H'loran,f	0	1	1	1
O'Connor,f	1	0	2	2
Brennan,c	4	7	5	15
Foley,c	3	1	3	7
Fichtel,c	1	0	3	2
O'Shea,g	7	7	1	21
Giedlin,g	0	0	1	0
Gordon,g	4	2	4	10
Kaufman,f	1	0	0	2
Loftus,g	0	0	1	0
Totals	26	18	26	70

Navy	G	FG	FP	P
Wilson,f	5	5	5	15
Woods,f	2	0	2	4
P'patrick,f	2	2	4	6
R'berger,f	0	0	0	0
Williams,c	1	1	4	3
McD'ough,g	0	0	1	0
Mullaney,g	7	1	2	15
Barrow,g	7	5	0	19
Totals	24	14	18	62

Score at half—Notre Dame, 38; Navy, 29.
Free throws missed—Kaufman, Foley (2), O'Shea, Gordon, Wilson (5), Fitzpatrick (3), Williams (6), Mullaney.

Bonnies Sign Devore Again

Olean, N.Y., Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Hugh Devore, former Notre Dame end star and coach, has signed a new three-year contract as head football coach at St. Bonaventure College at an increased salary, the Rev. Thomas Plassmann, president of the school, announced today.

Results

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Kentucky 51	Tulane 47		
William and Mary 73	Albright 54		
Manhattan 68	Springfield 55		
Youngstown 51	Penn 44		
Syracuse 67	Iowa State 46		
Notre Dame 70	Navy 62		
Minnesota 52	St. Mary's (Calif.) 42		
Bradley 60	Loyola (Los Angeles) 50		
Wagner 58	Brooklyn College 53		
Iowa 47	Texas Christian U. 46		
Purdue 54	Drake 47		
La Salle 67	Georgia Tech 59		
Rider 54	Paterson St. Thrs. 41		
Kansas State 54	Iowa St. Tchrs. 47		
Texas A&M 50	S.W. Okla. Tech 30		
Hofstra 54	Pratt 53		
Queens 62	John Marshs 60		
St. Peter's 58	St. Michael's 54		
Loyola (Balt.) 66	Detroit 58		
Pittsburgh 80	Miami 48		
Lafayette 62	NYAC 48		
St. Jersey 50	Fairleigh Dickinson 45		
Temple 51	Colorado 50		
Lawrence Tech 66	Carolina 53		
Dayton 78	Morris Harvey 71		

COLLEGE HOCKEY

McGill 14	Harvard 0

NATIONAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Dayton 53	Hammond 50

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

Boston 5	Detroit 2

AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Pittsburgh 2	Philadelphia 2

N. C. State Star Dropped

San Francisco, Dec. 22 (AP).—North Carolina State Basketball Coach Everett N. Case announced today that first-string Guard Eddie Bartels from Long Island, N. Y., had been dropped from the squad because of an infraction of training rules.

Bartels was sent back to Raleigh, N. C., last night, Case said, after North Carolina State won its second game in as many nights from the University of Nevada at Reno. His home is in the Pleasant Garden area of Long Island.

North Carolina State meets the University of San Francisco here tomorrow night.

Bartels, a junior who stands 6 feet 5 inches, was named an All-Southern guard for the Wolf Pack's team last year, which copped the Southern Conference title. He scored 286 points.

Case refused to comment on Bartel's dismissal other than to say it was a "disciplinary action."

Schedule Proves That

Hoyas Emphasize One Point—De-Emphasis Isn't There Yet

By Jack Walsh
Post Reporter

Out at Georgetown yesterday they were emphasizing the point that any talk of the de-emphasis of the varsity football program was slightly premature.

Father Robert A. Parsons, S. J., faculty director of athletics, made that clear.

When he announced the shake-up of the Hoya coaching staff late Tuesday night, Father Parsons expounded on his idea that big-time college football was on its way out. He revealed that Georgetown would field a 150-pound team next fall and added that he expected the collegiate sport to be conducted on the same simon-pure basis eventually.

"I'm sticking to my guns and I firmly believe that in time professional football will dwarf the collegiate game as we know it," said Father Parsons.

"However," he added, "we're staying with the times. We'll win all our games next year—if we can."

That Georgetown is "staying with the times" is best proven by next year's schedule. It hasn't been announced officially, but you can look for the Hoyas to play Kentucky, Wake Forest and either Santa Clara or St. Mary's of California in addition to seven of last year's opponents.

They include Denver, Boston College, Villanova, NYU, Holy Cross, Fordham and George Washington.

Rome Schwagel, graduate director of athletics, who incidentally doesn't go along with Father Parsons' theory about the decline of college football, put it this way:

"Actually, we have nothing to de-emphasize. Anyway, Father Parsons has made it clear that such a change will be so gradual it won't even be noticed."

Yesterday the town still was buzzing over the coaching change at Georgetown. Maurice (Mush) Dubofsky, captain of the 1931 team and a fixture as line coach since 1933, quit when he was asked to coach a proposed 150-pound team.

George Murtagh, varsity end coach, accepted the head coach job of the 150-pounders.

Peripatetic Paul Will Be Shod For Each '49 Game

Cleveland, Dec. 22 (AP).—Paul Brown, coach of the Cleveland Browns of the All-America Conference, paces up and down the sidelines from start to finish of every game his team plays.

At today's civic luncheon in honor of his third straight conference playoff title, Brown was presented with 16 pairs of half soles—one pair for each of the 14 league games and the 2 exhibitions on the 1949 program.

Unruly Coach Fined $50

Pro Cager Who Slugs Ref Is Socked With Year's Ban

Denver, Dec. 22 (AP).—A punch in the chin which Syracuse basketballer Jerry Rizzo gave Referee Ralph Fowler here Monday night resulted today in suspension of Rizzo from the National Professional Basketball League.

Doxie Moore, commissioner of the league, said this morning that the suspension would be enforced for "the remainder of the New York club's schedule this season." Moore added that Al Cervi, Syracuse's playing coach, had been fined $50 for running onto the court and "pushing officials around" after the argument began.

Rizzo's single punch to Fowler's chin was a highlight of a game between Syracuse and the Denver Nuggets.

The tiny Syracuse forward jumped off the bench and galloped onto the court when an argument arose over Fowler's decision on a foul against a Syracuse player. Moore said Fowler was holding a basketball in both hands and was "pretty vulnerable" when Rizzo "let fly with a right hand, bringing blood from the official's chin."

"This is the first time any such suspension has been effected in basketball anywhere," Moore said. "When it gets to where a player can slam the officials around, we might as well call off the game of basketball . . ."

Denver won the hotly contested game with Syracuse, 60-54. The New Yorkers are still in town. They play the Nuggets here tonight.

Moore said he reached his decision after conferring with officials of both teams and with Fowler and others who officiated the Monday night contest.

Although Rizzo is out for the rest of the regular season he may be reinstated later when the league holds its playoffs, Moore said.

Too Much New Orleans

Oklahoma 'Too Far Behind To Catch Up,' Wilkinson Says

NORMAN, OKLA., Dec. 22 (AP).—Coach Bud Wilkinson today blasted his University of Oklahoma Sugar Bowl team for practice loafing, and said "we're too far behind to catch up."

The Sooner coach accused his players of watching the clock during practice. He also tore into them for thinking too much about New Orleans entertainment—and not enough about North Carolina, the team they face on New York's Day.

"I have been very disappointed with the results of our preliminary practice for the Sugar Bowl game," Wilkinson said.

"I seriously question if we are 75 per cent as good a team today as we were during the regular season. Our boys haven't been thinking about North Carolina — they've been thinking about the entertainment at New Orleans and what they're going to do while they're home for Christmas. Very few of them have thought anything about the great team they will face New Year's Day."

Although this is a line with Wilkinson's frequently scathing team criticism, observers say the Sooners actually have appeared slack during scrimmage the last few days.

The team disbanded today for a short holiday vacation, and will reassemble in Biloxi, Miss., on December 26. There will be four days of practice there.

On December 31, the team will hold a short workout in the Sugar Bowl itself, and will spend the night before the game at the Algiers, La., Naval Station.

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Around Town

D. C. Teachers Defend Title In Jan. 3 Meet

By Sy Fishbein
Post Reporter

THE D. C. TEACHERS, standouts in several previous Government Basketball League tournaments, will defend the championship they won last season when the D. C. Recreation Department sponsored event begins on January 3.

The Teachers will open at the Terrell Gym against GPO. In a second game there that night, last year's runnerups, the Patent Office, will meet the Veterans Administration. Other clubs entered in the league this year are Navy S. and A., Navy Yards and Docks, City Postoffice and Census Bureau.

The Department's Independent League will not have a defending champion to knock off since the Georgetown Vets, winners last year, did not reenter.

But St. Cyprians, 1947 runnerups, will be kept on their toes by the Clippers, the All-Vets, the Georgetown Vikings, the Prophlytes, and the St. Augustines, all entered this year.

League members who want outside competition can have same by calling Joe Cole at the D. C. Recreation Department, Adams 2050, ext. 17.

Virginia Poly Enters Big Squad in Indoor Event

Hurdlers, sprinters and distance men, comprising one of the largest teams entered thus far, make up the Virginia Polytechnic Institute squad which will run in the Evening Star track games at the National Guard Armory January 15.

VIP comes laden with Sterling Wingo, one of the top sprinters in the Southern Conference. He's just recovered from a football injury. Charles D. Ford, jr., will also be a VIP starter in the 100-yard dash, and like Wingo, is on tap for the distance relays.

Tony Natoli 11-Year-Old Hotshot for Georgetown

Over in the D. C. Recreation Department's Georgetown Playground Club, Director M. Eudell has a youthful prodigy of uncommon caliber. He's little Tony Natoli, 11 years old, of 3315 Dent pl. nw., a swimmer, baseball pitcher, fullback, and already being likened to Freddie Scolari of the Washington Caps as a basketball player. Not only does he toss 'em in one-handed like Freddie, but Tony is also short and fat, 85 pounds worth. His friends call him "Meat Ball." Tony's the skipper of Georgetown's 12-and-under team in the Gordon League and will captain a 90-pound team in the department's Christmas tournament.

'Thin Man' Has Fielding Mark of .974

By Milton Richman

New York, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Shortstop Marty Marion of the St. Louis Cardinals was supposed to be "all washed up" in 1948.

But official National League fielding averages disclosed today that the 31-year-old "thin man" topped all players at his position with a fancy .974 defensive mark, which gave him the title for the third time in his career. It landed him on the circuit's all-star fielding team as the Cardinals captured team defensive honors for the third straight year by making the fewest errors, 119, and compiling the best percentage, .980.

Marion, plagued by aches and pains all season, was one of the two Redbird players to make the all-star fielding team. Two players from both the Giants and Braves also won berths and one each from Brooklyn, Pittsburgh and Cincinnati completed the list.

The all-star fielding team:

First base—Ed Stevens, Pittsburgh, .996.

Second base—Jackie Robinson Brooklyn, .795.

Third baseman—Sid Gordon, New York, .948.

Shortstop—Marion, .974.

Outfielders—Jeff Heath, Boston, .991; Carroll (Whitey) Lockman, New York, .987, and Frank Baumholtz, Cincinnati, .987.

Catcher—Phil Masi, Boston, .988.

Pitcher—Murray Dickson, St. Louis, 1.000.

A total of 34 pitchers turned in percentages of 1.000 but the palm went to Dickson, who handled the most chances, 63.

Stan Rojek, Pittsburgh shortstop, tied a major league record by taking part in five double plays during a single game on September 6.

Chicago's last-place Cubs clicked off the most double plays, 152, made the most assists, 1810, and accepted the most total chances, 6409.

Pittsburgh tied a National League record held by many clubs by completing two triple plays.

Most porous outfit in the league was the Philadelphia Phillies with 210 errors. Thanks to those bobbles, the Phils finished last in club fielding with a .964 percentage.

Wilson Alumni Wins

Jack Whitcomb's angled set shot in a sudden death overtime playoff brought the Wilson Alumni a 53-51 victory over the Varsity yesterday at the Wilson gym. Whitcomb was also high scorer with 19 points.

National League Fielding Records

CLUB FIELDING

Club	G.	Double Plays	Triple Plays	Passed Balls	PO.	A.	E.	TC.	PC.
St. Louis	155	138	0	6	4106	1713	119	5938	.980
Pittsburgh	156	150	3	20	4113	1760	137	6010	.977
Boston	154	132	0	9	4168	1682	143	5993	.976
New York	155	134	0	7	4109	1713	136	5978	.974
Brooklyn	155	151	0	14	4178	1647	161	5984	.973
Cincinnati	153	135	0	10	4020	1644	138	5822	.972
Chicago	155	152	0	11	4067	1810	172	6049	.972
Philadelphia	155	136	1	19	4087	1616	210	5913	.964
Totals		1118	3	97	32546	13585	1256	47687	.974

INDIVIDUAL FIELDING
FIRST BASEMAN

Player and Club	Throws	G.	PO.	A.	E.	TC.	DP.	PC.
Cavarretta, Chicago	L	31	374	28	1	403	44	.998
Stevens, Pittsburgh	L	117	1021	83	4	1108	94	.996
Hopp, Pittsburgh	L	38	211	18	1	230	21	.996
Young, 31 Clnn.—35 St. L.	L	66	527	29	3	559	54	.995
Robinson, Brooklyn	R	30	203	13	1	219	16	.995
Torgeson, Boston	L	139	1068	81	5	1154	85	.995
Mize, New York	R	153	1359	111	13	1483	114	.991
Waitkus, Chicago	L	116	1064	92	9	1165	77	.991
West, Pittsburgh	R	33	198	20	3	220	14	.991
Kluszwski, Cincinnati	L	98	833	65	9	907	60	.990
Ward, Brooklyn	R	38	268	20	3	291	21	.990
Sauer, Cincinnati	R	12	89	8	1	98	4	.990
McCormick, Boston	R	50	343	33	5	381	30	.987
Haas, Philadelphia	R	39	280	18	4	312	17	.987
Jones, St. Louis	R	128	1148	63	17	1228	98	.980
Hodges, Brooklyn	R	96	830	60	13	903	83	.986
Schultz, 3 Phil.—26 Clnn.	R	29	177	7	3	187	17	.984
Sisler, Philadelphia	R	130	986	73	18	1077	88	.982

Triple plays—Stevens, Hopp, Sisler.

SECOND BASEMEN

Player and Club	Throws	G.	PO.	A.	E.	TC.	DP.	PC.
Basgall, Pittsburgh	R	23	37	30	0	72	4	1000
Zientara, Cincinnati	R	60	143	140	3	286	32	.990
Conway, New York	R	13	30	35	1	66	9	.985
Stanky, Boston	R	66	168	202	7	377	45	.981
Schoendienst, St. Louis	R	96	230	269	10	509	57	.9803
Robinson, Brooklyn	R	114	308	315	13	636	80	.9793
Murtaugh, Pittsburgh	R	146	375	412	17	804	95	.979
Dusak, St. Louis	R	29	56	63	3	122	11	.975
Schenz, Chicago	R	78	184	190	10	384	45	.974
Corbitt, Cincinnati	R	53	101	115	6	219	18	.973
Sisti, Boston	R	44	104	107	6	217	19	.972
Verban, 54 Phila.—56 Chicago	R	110	238	290	17	545	72	.969
Rigney New York	R	103	258	273	18	551	48	.967
Hamner, Philadelphia	R	87	201	223	13	449	48	.967
Miksis, Brooklyn	R	54	106	101	7	214	13	.967
Ryan, Boston	R	40	89	112	7	208	19	.966
Adams, Cincinnati	R	64	160	143	11	314	33	.965
Lapointe, St. Louis	R	44	114	106	8	230	24	.965
Lohrke, New York	R	36	88	101	10	199	17	.950

THIRD BASEMEN

Player and Club	Throws	G.	PO.	A.	E.	TC.	DP.	PC.
Corbitt, Cincinnati	R	14	20	29	1	50	4	.980
Litwhiler Cincinnati	L	15	11	34	1	46	1	.978
Miksis, Brooklyn	R	22	18	42	3	60	4	.967
Lang, St. Louis	R	93	81	188	10	279	13	.964
Caballero, Philadelphia	R	78	103	147	10	260	14	.945
Bockman, Pittsburgh	R	51	50	100	6	156	9	.962
Cox, Brooklyn	R	70	51	107	7	165	7	.958
Gordon, New York	R	115	126	220	19	365	19	.948
Guettine, Pittsburgh	R	118	119	256	21	396	21	.947
Elliott, Boston	R	150	146	298	26	470	18	.945
Kurowski, St. Louis	R	63	55	106	10	163	7	.938
Pafko, Chicago	R	139	125	314	29	468	29	.938
Brown, Brooklyn	R	43	43	60	7	110	7	.936
Hatton, Cincinnati	R	123	141	243	28	412	21	.932
Jones, Philadelphia	R	17	30	68	5	103	4	.926
Lohrke, New York	R	50	37	69	12	118	4	.898

Triple Play—Caballero.

SHORTSTOPS

Player and Club	Throws	G.	PO.	A.	E.	TC.	DP.	PC.
Corbitt, Cincinnati	R	11	17	19	0	36	3	1000
Marion, St. Louis	R	142	263	445	19	727	80	.974
Mauch, 1 Brkln.—19 Chicago	R	20	22	43	2	67	6	.970
Cullet, Chicago	R	43	65	114	6	185	18	.968
Kerr, New York	R	143	269	456	23	750	72	.967
Miller, Philadelphia	R	122	229	341	20	590	63	.966
Darx, Boston	R	133	253	393	25	671	66	.963
Reese, Brooklyn	R	149	335	453	31	819	93	.962
Rojek, Pittsburgh	R	148	264	475	29	768	91	.962
Stallcup, Cincinnati	R	148	264	433	32	729	84	.956
Lapointe, St. Louis	R	25	28	50	4	32	12	.951

Triple plays—Rojek 2.

OUTFIELDERS

Player and Club	Throws	G.	PO.	A.	E.	TC.	DP.	PC.
Hopp, Pittsburgh	L	80	192	3	0	195	1	1000
Beard, Pittsburgh	L	22	66	0	0	66	0	1000
Vaughan, Brooklyn	R	26	47	4	0	51	0	1000
Gordon, New York	R	23	40	3	0	43	0	1000
Mayo, Philadelphia	R	11	27	1	0	28	0	1000
West, Pittsburgh	R	16	11	0	0	11	0	1000
Moore, St. Louis	L	71	131	3	1	135	2	.992
Dusak, St. Louis	R	68	128	3	1	132	2	.992
Russell, Boston	R	84	246	3	2	251	0	.992
Heath, Boston	R	108	223	6	2	231	2	.991
Litwhiler, 3 Bos.—83 Clnn.	R	91	189	4	1	194	0	.990
Whitman, Brooklyn	R	48	93	3	1	97	0	.990
Snider, Brooklyn	R	47	87	5	1	93	0	.989
Northey, St. Louis	R	67	85	3	1	88	0	.989
Lockman, New York	R	144	388	6	3	399	0	.987
Baumholtz, Cincinnati	L	101	211	11	3	225	4	.987
Holmes, Boston	L	137	283	8	3	296	2	.983
Furillo, Brooklyn	R	104	274	13	3	292	2	.989
Marshall, New York	R	142	266	16	5	287	2	.983
Lowrey, Chicago	R	103	225	9	4	238	2	.981
Ashburn, Philadelphia	R	116	344	14	7	365	2	.981
Musial, St. Louis	L	155	347	10	7	364	3	.981
Walker, Philadelphia	R	81	198	6	4	208	1	.981
Maddern, Chicago	R	53	98	8	3	106	0	.981
Reiser, Brooklyn	R	30	52	1	1	54	0	.981
Nicholson, Chicago	R	136	244	7	5	256	1	.981
Wyrostek, Cincinnati	R	135	331	8	8	347	1	.977
Walker, Pittsburgh	R	112	168	4	4	176	0	.977
Lund, Brooklyn	R	29	41	2	1	44	0	.977
Waitkus, Chicago	L	39	43	0	1	44	0	.977
Jeffcoat, Chicago	R	119	307	12	8	327	3	.976
Westlake, Pittsburgh	R	125	274	8	7	289	2	.976
Kiner, Pittsburgh	R	134	382	6	10	398	1	.975
McCormick, Boston	R	106	187	7	5	199	3	.975
Conatser, Boston	R	78	146	3	4	153	1	.974
Cavarretta, Chicago	L	40	72	4	2	78	0	.974
Sauer Cincinnati	R	122	270	14	8	292	6	.972
Mueller, New York	L	37	33	3	1	37	0	.973
Slaughter, St. Louis	R	146	330	9	10	349	1	.971
Hermanski, Brooklyn	R	119	225	13	7	245	1	.971
Thomson, New York	R	123	313	10	10	333	2	.970
Galan, Cincinnati	R	18	29	0	1	30	0	.967
Ennis, Philadelphia	R	151	397	15	14	426	4	.9557
Layten, New York	L	41	71	1	1	73	0	.951
Rackley, Brooklyn	L	74	143	7	8	157	1	.949

CATCHERS

Player and Club.	G.	Fe.	A.	E.	Tc.	Dp.	Pb.	Pct.
Lakeman, Philadelphia	22	73	4	0	77	0	3	1.000
Yvars, New York	15	50	8	0	58	0	2	1.000
Riddle, Pittsburgh	10	18	3	0	21	1	0	1.000
Rice, St. Louis	99	447	46	2	493	3	3	.996
Baker, St. Louis	96	132	15	1	148	2	2	.994
Salkeld, Boston	59	254	32	3	289	5	3	.990
Garagiola, St. Louis	23	82	14	1	98	1	0	.990
Scheffing, Chicago	78	332	36	4	372	5	2	.989
Masi, Boston	109	438	39	6	503	5	5	.988
Edwards, Brooklyn	48	223	21	4	248	1	6	.984
Mueller, Cincinnati	10	51	5	1	57	0	0	.982
Campanella, Brooklyn	78	413	45	9	467	12	4	.981
Westrum, New York	83	179	23	4	206	4	2	.981
Walker, Chicago	44	178	22	4	204	3	4	.980
Livingston, New York	42	135	10	3	148	2	1	.980
Cooper, New York	79	307	21	7	335	2	4	.979
Lamanno, Cincinnati	123	337	49	13	399	11	8	.976

Kentucky Wins Over Tulane, 51-47

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 22 (AP).—The Kentucky basketball team maintained its perfect record by defeating Tulane, 51 to 47, here tonight, and ran its victory streak to seven straight. The defeat was Tulane's firs in nine games this season.

Cliff McCormick Stars

Lycoming College of Williamsport, Pa., proudly announces the fact that Clifford McCormick, jr., formerly of Wilson High, is one of the four returning lettermen around whom its basketball varsity will be built this year. The 6-foot 3-inch senior, who holds down a guard position, is a pretheological student

What's Going On

TODAY

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL
DeMatha Catholic at Bladensburg, 8:30 p. m.

FRIDAY

Nothing scheduled.

SATURDAY

PROFESSIONAL BASKETBALL
Fort Wayne vs. Washington Caps, Uline Arena, 8:45 p. m.

PROFESSIONAL HOCKEY
Washington Lions at Hershey, Pa.

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Santa Claus Early, Fair Grounds Double Pays $1010.00

Oversight By Bettors Hikes Total

New Orleans, Dec. 22.—With some phenominal luck, a few fortunate racegoers here today at Fair Grounds collected a fabulous $1010 daily double payoff.

They had reason to be particularly flabbergasted by the early arrival of Santa Claus. Marled, winner of the first race, paid only $21.60 for a straight $2 ticket; Donna L., which returned only a $19 mutuel, scored in the second race.

However, they were strangly overlooked in the daily-double pool.

Track officials said' six persons held the lucky combination. The lowest possible double today would have returned $404.

Previous high for the season was $107, and last year's record was $2021.40.

Marled broke well in the first, followed Valdina Ripple into the stretch, then responded, to urging and pulled ahead to win.

In the second, Donna L. was well up in front for the start, came with a steady rush when she found racing room, then drew past the leaders.

In the feature race, an $1800 claiming affair, favored Junior Wolf romped home before King Gail and Mae Agnes. The winner, almost an even-money choice, paid $4.20.

Victories were scattered freely among the jockeys with only George Cook accounting for more than one. Young Cook piloted Cargo to the wire in the third for an $8.40 payoff and came through in the fifth with Goblin at $8.

Another strange thing about Marled's victory in the first race was that the place price, $22.40, was more than the winning ticket.

Fairgrounds

1—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Horses		Wt									
Bohemia		112	Lucky Doo								103
Armistice Day		115	Chero-Kaid								107
Teranna		98	Surf Rider								112
Sarcerto		118	Araby Queen								107
Brazado Maid		105	Grado Primero								112
Chance Chick		108	Henlioo								109
Metropolitan		112	Sticktome								108
Blocky B		108	Noah's Choice								113

2—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Titian Beauty		105	Quick Kick								107
Kenter		112	Flag Shifter								112
Graymar Judge		112	Audrey M.								109
Poodoo		109	Peace Ship								103
Hy Spread		109	Hemo Devil								112
Miss Monterey		109	Border Sis								104
Brown Clipper		112	Bright Wave								109
Speed Ball		102	Odd Pair								112

3—5½; $1200; maiden 2-year-olds; elmg.

Sam Street		118	Beth B's First								113
Eleven Boys		111	Sassy Suzanne								110
Too Close		108	Majon								113
Plucky's Miss		115	Murille								118
Ariel Over		115	Nipigon								115
Hectic Pet		118	Countess Polly								110
Chico-Chico		118	Henry's Pal								118
Court Ruler		113	Medina My								113
Cressue		115									

4—¾; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Kitty Gray		107	Mightiest								113
My Wash		110	Riskaire								109
Cee Style		111	Espino Gold								105
Bill G		113	Dear Mom								100
Static Chaser		108	Joe Valenti								110
Sun Umber		105	Glory Song								105
Yale		110	Sir Monte								113
Newscaster		110									

5—1⅛; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Gold Regnant		104	Camps First								112
The Bagel		112	Civil Liberty								115
Joby K		109	Scotland Yard								115

6—¾; $1500; 3-year-olds up; allowances.

Gama		115	Tiger Tom								112
Wisktiger		107	Invercork								112
News Print		112	Peri-Air								110
Miss Neal		107	Angie Bar								112
Prince Favor		110	Upandatem								118
Keep Moving		112	Red Scout								112
aCap Rock		107	Flying Ben								112

aW. H. Bishop entry.

7—1⅛; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Homespun		112	Battlet								109
Old Bet		107	Oxford Don								121
Hugustes		109	Leonidas								107
Wee Wee Marie		112	Wise Sun								113
Hadamar		116	Whiteford Bud								112
Honest Knave		109	Bad Brandy								108
Hoodoo Lady		107	Montree								110
Rotate		113	Qona								107
Bart's Chance		115									

8—1⅛; $1200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Up Front		112	Sky Wolf								107
Diavolo Chief		112	Michigan Smart								112
Full Cry		118	Sir Blazker								112
Sunder		115	Ashbrsburg								112
Calydon		112	Green Dragon								105
Ironsweep		112	Belcrest								104
Pine Tree		105	Blob Del								107
Gourmet		115	Treemount								110
Cadet Carl		112	Tacoma								112

1—¾; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds up.											
Marled, 109 (Carvalho)										21.60	22.40	15.60
Valdina Ripple, 112 (Garza)											38.60	9.60
Dolorah, 109 (Bailes)												3.60

Half Brother, Whyso, Run Sally, Mia-Mia, Ida A, V Max, Wise Policy also ran. Time, 1:14.

2—¾; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds up.											
Donna L., 104 (West)										19.00	9.20	5.40
Eva T., 102 (Picou)											6.20	5.40
Rosie China, 104 (Daniel)												16.40

Blank Dismay, Sand Storm, Valdina Seer, Mindanao, Wee Laird, Dover Road and Miss Elite also ran. Time, 1:14⅘.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $1,010.00

3—¾; $1200; claiming; 2-year-olds.											
Cargo, 104 (Cook)										8.40	6.00	4.60
Crafty, 107 (McKenna)											13.00	8.80
Pitfall, 109 (Mann)												4.80

Pulitzer, Tommil Tom, Mrs. Jones, Peola, Tourist Lass, *Lantell, *Contralto, *Flying G and Grand Prize also ran. Time, 1:13⅘.

*Field.

4—¾; $1200; claiming; 2-year-olds.											
Fondest Hope, 112 (Grubb)										5.60	4.60	3.80
Spotty, 105 (Milligan)											6.60	4.80
Chip Reef, 109 (Martin)												6.20

*Watchful Eye, Jack Enough, Hi-Etta, *Osovota, *Murray Maid, Blue Rambler, Easy Ace, Busy Till and Doc Stearn also ran. Time, 1:14⅘. *Field.

5—1⅛; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds up.											
Goblin, 107 (Cook)										8.00	5.40	4.40
Sir Dale, 112 (Keene)											4.20	3.20
Hasty Message, 108 (Hughes)												3.00

*Republican, Ticker, Pegasus, Little Noble, Biffema, Miss Busybee, †Marcelle B and Mary M V also ran. Time, 1:54⅘. *Field.

6—1 1/16; $1800; claiming; 3-year-olds up.											
Junior Wolf, 115 (Keene)										4.20	3.40	3.00
King Gail, 114 (Cook)											5.40	4.00
Mae Agnes, 109 (Madden)												3.80

Verona Sands, CWil Sheriff, Carmargo Bill and Dad also ran. Time, 1:47⅘.

7—1⅛; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds up.											
Miss Lona, 104 (F.Keene)										26.80	12.00	7.00
Play Stage, 112 (H.Keene)											4.60	3.20
King Victory, 112 (Hooper)												4.40

Pennant O War, Andy's Sis, *Cloud Rift, *Bobs Dream, Gray Victory, Star Bright, Two by Two, *Prince Canter and Boiye also ran. Time, 1:49⅘. *Field.

8—1⅛; $1200; claiming; 3-year-olds up.											
Celtics, 112 (Heitlinger)										6.40	4.60	2.60
*Mokup, 113 (Terranova)											8.80	4.80
Lieut. Dan, 107 (Cook)												3.20

*Playing Pomp, Fergie's One, *Atomic Beauty, Border Voluble, Bolo Prince, King Thunder, Spring Dun, Busy Nine, Royal Doll also ran. Time, 1:50⅘. *Field.

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AT TROPICAL PARK

1—Eamar, Gaffer, Major Play.
2—Beamond, Imperious, Westgate Blvd.
3—Roman Road, Even Break, Concrete.
4—MILL CREEK, Errors Chrysler Entry.
5—Mr. Buster, Man Speed, Scipio.
6—Far Away, Cervantes, Flying Mile.
7—Magnetic Star, Sextant, Monitor.
8—Pol, Azure Wings, Cold Ray.

AT FAIR GROUNDS

1—Sarcerto, Armistice Day, Hemhup.
2—KEENER, Miss Monterey, Flagshifter.
3—Murillo, Ariel Over, Henry's Pal.
4—Glory Song, Mightiest, Bill G.
5—Camps First, Scotland Yard, Civil Liberty.
6—Bishop Entry, Prince Favor, Invercork.
7—Homespun, Montree, Oxford Don.
8—Sunder, Gourmet, Up Front.

Chart of Racing at Tropical Park

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1948—BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. WEATHER CLEAR. TRACK FAST.

FIRST RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $2000; claiming. For 3-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 1:31. Off at 1:32⅓. Winner, L. Lakin and Duncan's b. g. (4) by Transmute—La Luau by Pennant. Trained by P. Reuter. Value, $1400. Time 1:52⅕.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Turf	(Baltchelier)	114	8	7	8¹	5¹½	2¹½	1¹	$4.45
Viva Teddy	(Dodson)	122	2	4	4¹½	6¹½	4¹½	2¹	5.80
Perry Pilot	(Gilbert)	111	7	6	1¹	2½	1¹½	2¹⅘	4.60
Bright Kid	(Errico)	119	4	9	9¹	9¹	5¹¹	4³	7.15
Jonnie Fisg	(Phillippi)	114	1	3	2¹½	1hd	5¹	5¹	20.45
Brest	(McCoy)	119	3	1	3½	3hd	6²	6²	2.50
That's Him	(Polk)	116	5	10	10	10	7¹	7½	51.10
Martin Wing	(Trombrey)	109	6	5	7¹	8¹	10	8½	41.15
Gotanotion	(Martin)	112	9	8	6½	4²	8¹	9½	10.10
Sea Crest	(Church)	111	10	6	5½	7½	9¹	10	10.70

TURF, $10.90, $5.50, $4.10; VIVA TEDDY, $6.60, $4.30; PERRY PILOT, $5.80.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $2000; claiming. For 3-year-olds up. Start good. Won ridden out; place driving. Went to post at 2:00. Off at 2:01½. Winner, Mrs. J. R. Morris' b. g. (4) by Slave Ship—Nita May by Donnacona. Trained by P. Reuter. Value, $1400. Time, 1:11.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Duck Berry	(Batcheller)	114	3	4	3¹	3¹	1¹½		$4.90
Ringador	(Pappas)	114	8	2	2¹	1¹½	2¹		1.05
Royal Pigeon	(Civitello)	104	2	3	1¹	2¹	3¹		71.85
Cao Jr.	(Stout)	107	6	1	1¹	2³	2hd	4¹	2.90
Bolo Tie	(Choquette)	112	4	3	4¹½	4¹½	5¹		6.65
Dobbin	(Peabody)	115	7	7	6hd	6¹½	5¹½	6¹½	14.35
Overpower	(McMullen)	118	7	8	7¹	7¹	7¹	7³	30.90
Plane Shadow	(Pollard)	114	5	5	5	8	8	8	32.05

DUCK BERRY, $11.80, $3.80, $3.00; RINGADOR, $2.80, $2.40; ROYAL PIGEON, $8.40.

DAILY DOUBLE, TURF AND DUCK BERRY, PAID $31.20.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $2000. For maiden 2-year-old colts and geldings. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 2:28. Off at 2:31. Winner, V. S. Bragg's ch. c. (2) by Carrier Pigeon—Imperial Ann by Bubbling Over. Trained by J. W. Healy. Value, $1400. Time, 1:12⅕.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Park Pigeon	(Jensen)	118	4	6	6³	4²	1¹	1hd	$1.25
Imperium	(Anderson)	118	10	3	4²	3½	3½	2²	10.40
War Anchor	(Snellings)	118	5	5	5²	6²	4¹	3hd	13.60
Annie's Choice	(Luther)	118	8	1	2½	1¹	2½	4³	4.00
Jemavend	(Scurlock)	118	9	9	8¹	7²	6²	5⁴	11.20
Hobcaw Barony	(McC'ry)	118	11	11	3½	5½	7¹	6⁴	5.23
Isosceles	(Strange)	118	5	2	1²	2½	5½	7½	9.10
Sea Lore	(Cocco)	113	2	10	10³	10²	9½	8½	240.90
Reynolds Jr.	(Pollard)	118	7	8	7¹	8¹	8½	9½	78.40
Kader	(Castagna)	118	1	12	12	12	11²	10½	230.30
Mickey Ladd	(Dodson)	118	3	7	11²	11²	11²	11²	61.25
Baffle	(Powley)	113	6	5	9¹	9½	10½	12	205.35

PARK PIGEON, $4.50, $3.30, $2.60; IMPERIUM, $7.40 $5.10; WAR ANCHOR, $5.60.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $2000; claiming. For 2-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 2:59. Off at 3:00½. Winner, I. Bieber's ch. f. (2) by Whirlaway—Gentle Trust by Sir Galahad III. Trained by H. Jacobs. Value, $1400. Time, 1:12.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Dizzy Whirl	(Batcheller)	103	1	4	5½	4½	2¹	1½	$3.45
Puff Mifflin	(Wahler)	116	7	3	1¹	1²	1¹	2¹	2.15
Dawn O' Peace	(Nelson)	109	2	11	10¹	7¹	3¹	3⁴	8.45
Fraternal	(Strange)	116	12	1	3¹	3¹½	3½	4½³	3.55
Call Shot	(Pappas)	108	10	9	4½	5½	6²	5⁵	146.80
Eternal Great	(Phillipui)	114	11	2	2½	2½	4½	6½	6.40
Four Hundred	(C'tello)	111	4	5	8¹	8¹	8²	7³	35.30
Aiming Maid	(Bert)	106	9	7	7¹	6¹	6¹	8½	19.75
Five Days	(Watson)	116	9	10	11²	11	9¹	9¹	114.75
Rod	(Baluja)	122	3	6	9²	10¹	10¹	10¹	35.35
Alamhad	(Jensen)	110	8	8	7½	9¹	11¹	11½	32.05
Gingham	(Fernandez)	119	6	12	12	12	12	12	35.65

DIZZY WHIRL, $8.90, $4.20, $3.40; PORT MIFFLIN, $3.50, $3.30; DAWN O' PEACE, $5.20.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse $2200. For 3-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:28. Off at 3:33. Winner, Mrs. S. O. Stecklen's b. g. (3) by Case Ace—Elizabeth Singleton by Gainsborough. Trained by H. Dufford. Value, $1475. Time, 1:10⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Coyote	(Strange)	117	1	2	2½	1hd	1¹½	1¹½	$9.55
Darby D'Amour	(Wahler)	122	10	1	4½	4½	2³	2²	11.15
Mon's Boy	(Batcheller)	116	4	4	3²	3²	4½	3½	2.10
Sonadora	(Saunders)	113	3	6	5²	5²	6²	4³	3.40
Free Press	(Olivera)	114	9	7	7²	6½	7³	5²	30.35
Atomic Wave	(Algeier)	114	2	3	1½	2¹	3½	6³	24.25
Bold Lady	(Nelson)	106	8	5	6½	7²	5½	7¹	2.25
Navango	(Fernandez)	116	6	10	9½	9³	8½	8½	137.25
Anna Christie	(S'graves)	109	7	8	8½	8³	9²	9²	26.30
Happy C.	(Permane)	119	5	9	10	10	10	10	38.50

COYOTE, $21.10, $9.20, $4.70; DARBY D'AMOUR, $13.50, $5.20; MON'S BOY, $2.90.

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2500; the Illyriap; allowances. For 3-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:59. Off at 4:01½. Winner, H. S. Reineman's ch. g. (4) by Pilate—Night O'Clock by Pompey. Trained by L. H. Thompson. Value, $1650. Time, 1:45.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Dinner Hour	(Rivera)	117	5	3	4¹	4¹½	3¹	1hd	$4.55
Rinaldo	(Anderson)	112	3	5	3²	3²	1½	2¹½	1.95
Kingarvie	(Batchelier)	114	6	2	2³	2¹½	2¹½	3³	1.20
Martial	(Layton)	109	1	7	6¹	6⁴	4hd	4hd	32.50
Romancer	(Basile)	119	2	6	5½	5hd	5¹½	5³	8.95
C'est Tout	(Lindberg)	108	4	1	1hd	1hd	4hd	6²	13.05
Drum Major	(Civitello)	106	7	4	6²	7	7	7	70.65

DINNER HOUR, $11.10, $4.80, $2.60; RINALDO, $3.40, $2.30; KINGARVIE, $2.20.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2200; claiming. For 3-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 4:29. Off at 4:31. Winner, Mrs. H. Mart's ch. g. (3) by Grand Slam—Tremendous by Canter. Trained by N. L. Byer. Value, $1475. Time, 1:44⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Top Score	(Phillippi)	108	8	1	2¹½	1½	1¹	1²	$39.65
Black Warbler	(Claggett)	119	2	9	8¹	4¹½	2³	2³	26.05
Vinsturlough	(Scurlock)	112	5	10	10²	7²	3¹½	3¹	7.00
Yarodi	(Hanaman)	105	6	8	6½	5½	5¹	4¹½	2.90
East	(Gilbert)	113	10	4	4½	3¹	4½	5³	3.90
Play Sure	(Batcheller)	114	11	5	5¹½	2¹	3¹	6¹½	2.20
Antares	(Zakoor)	107	7	6	7½	6½	6³	7²	11.85
Empty Noose	(Anderson)	109	6	2	3hd	8¹	8³	8⁴	18.35
Roman Runner	(C'tello)	104	3	12	12	11²	9¹	9¹	48.25
Roy Jay	(Garner)	117	1	11	11²	12	10	10²	30.30
Rockwood Argo	(Nelson)	105	9	7	9²	10¹	11⁴	11⁴	76.00
Florenze	(Watson)	117	12	3	1¹	9³	12	12	50.30

TOP SCORE, $81.30, $53.10, $22.20; BLACK WARBLER, $25.60, $15.00; VINSFURLOUGH, $5.80.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2000; claiming. For 3-year-olds up; fillies and mares. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 5:00. Off at 5:03. Winner, I. Bieber's b. f. (3) by Flares—Charred Keg by Stimulus. Trained by H. Jacobs. Value, $1400. Time, 1:46⅕.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Flaming Lady	(B'heller)	109	1	8	6¹½	6⁴	2²	1hd	$2.85
His Daughter	(Errico)	115	9	10	11	11	3hd	2³	6.95
Languid Lady	(Gilbert)	109	11	4	3²	3½	1¹½	3³	3.45
River Scotch	(Powley)	107	3	1	4²	5²	4hd	4hd	12.15
Brag Rags	(Jensen)	114	8	9	10¹	10½	5¹½	5¹½	12.60
Coconut Star	(Civitello)	116	2	5	5¹½	7¹½	6¹½	6¹½	4.05
Matinee Ride	(Pennock)	107	7	3	2½	2½	8¹	7¹	6.35
Maid of Oz	(Stone)	108	4	2	1²	1¹	7½	8¹½	40.35
Dawn Can	(Pollard)	111	5	11	8½	9¹½	9¹	9¹	185.05
Harriet H.	(Phillipui)	104	6	6	7²	8¹	10¹	10²	22.55
Misahi	(Loveridge)	111	10	7	9²	8¹½	11	11	68.00

FLAMING LADY, $7.70, $4.90, $3.60; HIS DAUGHTER, $6.10, $4.30; LANGUID LADY, $3.10.

Tropical Park

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2000; claiming; maiden 3-year-olds and up.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey	Wgt	Odds
1	Stone Arabia (Allgaier)	118	20-1
2	Gaffer (Phillippi)	113	10-1
3	Runaway (Phillippi)	104	20-1
4	W. M. Green (Civitello)	107	15-1
5	Gal in Calico (Fernandez)	109	20-1
6	Steel Twine (McLean)	118	5-1
7	Major Play (Strange)	112	3-1
8	Eamar (Batcheller)	107	3-1
9	Omaha Jr. (Wolfe)	118	20-1
10	Nations Beauty (Jemas)	109	10-1
11	Gray Jim (Wright)	115	12-1
12	Indian Mound (Skoronski)	112	20-1
13	Umbrian (Williams)	113	20-1
14	Millington (Cocco)	115	15-1
15	Virginia R. W. (no boy)	109	20-1
16	Nevegador (no boy)	114	20-1

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2,000; claiming; 2-year-olds.

1	Golden Vixen (Anderson)	107	6-1
2	Haberdashery (Combest)	113	10-1
3	By-Book (no boy)	101	15-1
4	Westgate Blvd. (no boy)	111	8-1
5	Mi-Senorita (no boy)	103	20-1
6	Double Moose (no boy)	110	20-1
7	Bosmond (Civitello)	103	8-1
8	Somber (no boy)	108	20-1
9	Rouie Berri (Garner)	116	3-1
10	Adorable Bolo Batchelier)	106	6-1
11	Irmas Jim (Batcheller)	106	3-1
12	Dribblet (no boy)	111	20-1
13	Pigeon's Pal (Trombley)	111	20-1
14	Fair Vision (no boy)	111	6-1
15	Imperious (no boy)	110	8-1
16	Clover Miss (no boy)	116	20-1

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2200; claiming; 3-year-olds and up.

1	Attic (no boy)	114	3-1
2	Blunt Remark (Adair)	119	12-1
3	St. Jock (Cocco)	109	4-1
4	Willegivit (Watson)	116	20-1
5	Even Break (Martin)	119	2-1
6	Blarney Maid (Trombley)	105	20-1
7	Sorisky (Rustia)	108	20-1
8	Concrete (no boy)	111	20-1
9	Syntet (no boy)	110	15-1
10	Ariel Actress (Choquette)	109	12-1
11	Eternal Day (Layton)	120	15-1
12	Miss Tartan (Batcheller)	111	6-1
13	Eternal Way (Permane)	108	20-1
14	Knight's Gift (no boy)	105	12-1
15	Klamath (Fernandez)	114	15-1
16	Roman Road (no boy)	117	20-1

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2000; allowances; 2-year-old fillies.

1	Error (Saunders)	118	6-5
2	Lake Success (Pierson)	110	10-1
3	Mill Creek (Fernandez)	118	3-1
4	Midchannel (no boy)	110	8-1
5	Stratojet (Mills)	118	20-1
6	aWhirlilmygig (Anderson)	108	10-1
7	Lea Mary (South)	118	6-1
8	aIrene Rienzi)	110	10-1

aW. F. Chrysler, jr., entry.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2200; allowances; 3-year-olds.

1	Mr. Buster (no boy)	122	12-1
2	Marine Band (Snellings)	122	20-1
3	Evening Rose (Allgaier)	116	12-1
4	Mon Speed (South)	119	12-1
5	Brandy Punch (Anderson)	114	8-1
6	Challenge Like (Saunders)	113	10-1
7	Gangway (Farmane)	116	3-1
8	Scipio (Nelson)	117	2-1
9	Bootalong (Anderson)	111	15-1
10	The Barber (no boy)	116	20-1
11	Madgascarlett (Batcheller)	108	15-1
12	Gladys K. (Civitello)	114	20-1
13	First Citizen (Lindberg)	111	20-1
14	Northern Deb (no boy)	108	15-1
15	Wee Hal (Civitello)	117	10-1
16	Be Ready (Rozelle)	108	15-1

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; the Soldumeno; purse, $2500; allowances; 3-year-olds and up.

1	Flying Mile (Hanford)	119	6-1
2	Quite Alone (no boy)	108	20-1
3	Peacelaw (Perez)	105	3-1
4	Big Pop (Cook)	112	8-1
5	Cer Vantes (Lindberg)	108	15-1
6	Weathercock (Roberts)	112	20-1
7	Faraway (Stout)	114	2-1
8	Roman Candle (Civitello)	104	6-1
9	All in Fun (no boy)	112	3-1

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $2000; claiming; 3-year-olds and up.

1	The Squire (no boy)	102	20-1
2	Monitor (Batcheller)	106	3-1
3	Eugene (Duff)	111	8-1
4	Danada Flash (no boy)	114	12-1
5	Esterita (Watson)	113	15-1
6	Cobblestone (Chaffin)	111	20-1
7	Chow (Polk)	114	12-1
8	In Earnest (Skoronski)	120	10-1
9	Vittore (no boy)	106	12-1
10	Magnetic Star (no boy)	117	2-1
11	Harvest Reward (Flutie)	113	6-1
12	New Caledonia (no boy)	109	20-1
13	Elcan (no boy)	103	10-1
14	Master (no boy)	112	8-1
15	Sextant (Strange)	113	10-1
16	Prepontente (Batcheller)	106	20-1

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $2000; claiming; 3-year-olds and up.

1	Paris III (Permane)	116	20-1
2	Signals Bloke (Bero)	114	12-1
3	Midnight Oil (Batcheller)	114	8-1
4	Shavo (Zulker)	108	20-1
5	Poi (Baronski)	119	6-1
6	Kantar Run (Duff)	113	6-1
7	Sanchilla (Johnson)	113	20-1
8	Max O'Sullivan (no boy)	114	3-1
9	Biddy Barton (Stortz)	111	20-1
10	Azure Wings (no boy)	119	4-1
11	Da De (no boy)	116	12-1
12	Cold Ray (no boy)	111	5-1
13	Lorgicaprice (Batcheller)	114	5-1
14	Tulco (Duff)	113	20-1
15	Damos (Permane)	116

In Bookmaker's Book

It Doesn't Matter Who Wins But by How Many Points

By Murray Rose

NEW YORK, Dec. 22 (AP).—It was several years ago when betting on college basketball games was beginning to move into the realm of big business.

The telephone rang many times that night, but we remember one conversation vividly.

A voice with a rich, deep Brooklynese accent asked:

"Say, bud, can you tell me how Acorn made out tonight?"

Acorn? Never heard of it.

"Acorn! Acorn!" the voice snapped impatiently, "Acorn" . . . and he spelled it out "A-k-r-o-n."

Oh, Akron? Why do you want to know how they made out, anyway?

"I'm an alumnouse of the school. This is a tradish—a big game for us."

An alumnouse? Well, okay, Acorn won. We hung up.

A few seconds later the telephone rang again.

"Hey, bud, on that Acorn—how much did they win by?"

That call was the forerunner of thousands of other similar calls—calls that have grayed and thinned the hair of hundreds of sportswriters and thousands of telephone operators in newspaper offices from coast to coast.

It marked the advent of the point system of betting on college games. Who won didn't matter, but it was by how much. It has stepped up the "action" on games where one team is a heavy favorite over another. Points make the difference.

For instance Razzmo Tech is playing Slobodko Poly. Razzmo is made a 14-point favorite. Razzmo wins by only 13. That means those who wagered on Slobodko won the bet.

The bookmaker under this system is only casually interested in the outcome. He takes the bets either way and makes you lay 6 to 5 on a $50 bet, for instance, he collects $120 and pays out only $110. The 10 bucks is profit, and a very handsome one at that.

The betting is widespread. The bookies' "line" generally includes some 20 games or so each day with a choice of games from coast to coast.

The result has been a deluge of calls for scores.

During the war, gamblers used all kinds of dodges to get scores. These calls were swamping switchboards.

There were alleged sergeants, lieutenants, generals, admirals, captains, and general's secretaries. Generals Eisenhower and MacArthur should only know how many mess sergeants they had making telephonic inquiries. Only a few "privates" called. Mostly the boys like to throw their rank around.

Generally we asked for their telephone numbers and said we would call back and 99 times out of a hundred, the "general" or "lieutenant" would mutter something about a "wise guy" and hang up.

Then there's always the give-a-finger-take-your-hand-guy. He'll ask for just one score. His life depends on it, so please willya?

You break the rule against giving scores and let him have that "just one." Right back he comes with "please, how about just four more basketball scores and one hockey result, huh?"

In Hospital

It Won't Be So Merry for Jockey Jake

By Walter Haight
Post Reporter

THIS ISN'T GOING to be a very merry Christmas for Jake.

The poor children must get along without him. He won't be able to sell tickets for this and that charity event. Jake won't be around our paper ready to hustle up on F st. at dusk Christmas Eve to buy six pairs of nylons for the wife of a forgetful scribe.

Some sports writers will have to pay their way to holiday movies or arrange for their own passes. Likewise theater men will have to pay their way to wrestling, fights, etc., or arrange for their own passes. The liaison man won't be in action. A thousand and one chores, cheerfully performed "for free" in other years, must be left undone. A "million rackets," as Jake calls selling his race horse pictures, etc., will be dormant.

Who is Jake? Well, he's "Everybody's Man Friday," nationally known through the race tracks and locally stamped, for the most part, via the sports departments and theaters. Jake and his shuffling gait, his cap and his "office," consisting of a half dozen folded papers plus several large Manila envelopes, are familiar to thousands of turf fans and to other thousands of downtown Washingtonians.

He is variously known as Washington Jake, Jockey Jake, Jockey No Boy and plain Jake. However, it's not necessary to know Jake to have him do you a favor. To his confidants he says, "I get in more trouble doing favors." But he goes right ahead doing them.

What goes wrong with Jake? Well, he recently underwent an operation and will be confined to his home for several weeks.

This operation, or at least the subject, probably is as well known as Jake. Unlike most people who talk about little except the operation they had, Jake has been talking for 10 years about having one. The betting, both locally and turfically, has been 20, 8 and 4 that he would never get close to a surgeon's knife.

In fact, the operation—and "for free"—has been lined up several times by his friends, only to find Jake gone to the New York or Florida tracks or too busy with helping others to take advantage.

When Jake needed a sympathetic note to help collect a debt or obtain some concession, he regarded his "coming" operation as the No. 1 convincer. Now it looks as if "I've got to get a tombstone for a relative's grave," formerly No. 2, will move into the top spot.

Jake has more friends than a guy collecting a $4000 daily double pay-off. You name them . . . and start at the White House and work your way down. He's as at home sitting on the edge of a desk where world history is made as he is in a chair at the One Arm Lunch.

He hardly can remember going to school. His only attempt at writing, to my knowledge, is on an overnight race horse entry sheet. He circles the name of the steed he likes and scribbles "O. K., Good Luck—Jake."

However, he is master of ingenuity. For instance, one night a friend informed me that the final edition of a Baltimore paper carried a story that was important to me. I sent a copyboy to various newsstands, etc., to buy the paper and it was no dice.

I was at wits end when Jake sauntered into the office, noted all was not well with me and asked my problem. I explained and Jake hurried out of the door. Less than a half hour later he reappeared waving the eagerly-sought publication.

Afterwards, I asked Jake how he did it. "Simple, simple," he replied. "Went over to Union Station, walked through a train just in from Baltimore—I could have picked up 50 of them."

Sometimes Jake gets caught in the backwash of his own generosity. One day at Bowie, two of his reporter friends were leaving the track after the seventh race. They met Jake, who said, "You'd better stay for the eighth race. I've got a sure winner in No. 4."

They informed Jake that they had gone broke.

"Don't worry about that," came back Jake. "I'll get a $5 ticket for each of you. See you at the office tonight."

Just before the eighth race went to the post, a stable boy friend informed Jake that the No. 6 horse couldn't miss. Mindful that he had promised to bet for the reporters on another horse, Jake finally decided he'd play everything he had in his pocket on No. 6, and tell the scribes he had saved them five bucks each.

Well, No. 6 also ran and No. 4 came galloping home at an $8.20 mutuel.

That night Jake visited the Sports Department and, without informing them of the circumstances surrounding the transaction, paid off the two scribes on the No. 4 winner.

I should know because I helped him raise the dough.

Get well quick, Jake.

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty

"We haven't thought of a name for the baby yet . . . we've been so busy thinking of names of sitters . . ."

Parole Likely For Slayer of Imbecile Son

Boston, Dec. 22 (AP).—Early freedom—on parole—was in prospect today for wealthy John F. Noxon, 52, Pittsfield corporation lawyer, who escaped electrocution only two years ago for murderng his infant, imbecile son.

Gov. Robert E. Bradford recommended, and a majority of the Massachusetts Executive Council indicated they would approve next week, a reduction of Noxon's life sentence that would make him eligible for parole. Gov. Maurice J. Tobin, now Secretary of Labor, commuted Noxon's original death sentence to life imprisonment.

Bradford said he did not believe Noxon innocent, but said he was influenced by a statement of the State commissioner of correction that "nothing further was to be gained by keeping this man in State prison."

Baby Lawrence Noxon, 6 months old, was found dead in his parents' home in September, 1943, a month after a specialist had pronounced the child a "mongoloid type"—hopelessly deficient mentally. The defense contended the baby had accidentally touched electric wires while Noxon was repairing a radio.

Bethesda Drubs Alumni, 47-35

Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School thumped its alumni yesterday, 47-35, to record its sixth straight basketball victory of the season. The varsity, led by Fred Genau and Sam Towne with 18 and 14 points, was never behind.

Varsity	G	FG	PF	P
Genau, f	9	0	0	18
Garsh, f	0	0	0	0
G'andolo, f	3	1	0	8
McA'liffe, f	0	0	0	0
Towne, c	6	2	0	14
Crago, c	0	0	0	0
B'kwith, g	2	2	3	6
Ware, g	1	1	2	3
Sch'ider, g	0	1	0	1
Myers, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	21	5	5	47

Alumni	G	FG	PF	P
Fleming, f	2	1	5	5
P'kinson, f	0	1	0	1
Latimer, f	1	1	4	3
McClure, f	0	0	1	0
Benson, c	6	1	0	13
McK'than, c	0	0	0	0
Bollo, g	0	0	3	0
F'rline, g	0	0	0	0
Rowe, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	16	3	17	35

Score at half—Varsity, 16; Alumni, 13. Referees—Shirley and Poston.

Mt. Rainier Alumni Beats Varsity, 36-28

The Mt. Rainier High Alumni basketball team last night defeated the Varsity 36-28 in the school gym. Geory Myers, captain of the winning team, was high scorer with 9 points.

Alumni	G	FG	PF	P
Watts, f	1	0	1	2
R.R'gues, f	1	0	0	2
Ward, f	0	0	1	0
L.R'gues, f	3	1	1	7
Loomis, c	3	1	1	7
Young, c	1	0	0	2
Sargent, g	0	0	2	0
Myers, g	4	1	1	9
Cruz, g	1	0	1	2
Clift, g	2	0	1	4
Johnson, g	0	1	2	1
Corkins, g	0	0	0	0
Radtke, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	16	4	10	36

Varsity	G	FG	PF	P
Murphy, f	2	0	0	4
Jones, f	2	0	2	4
Moffet, f	0	0	0	0
Mathias, f	0	1	0	1
Kidwell, c	1	0	0	2
MacN'ght, c	2	1	0	5
Koenig, g	3	1	0	7
Marzella, g	1	0	2	2
Kollins, g	0	0	0	0
Schrier, g	0	0	0	0
Perchak, g	1	1	1	3
Watts, g	0	0	1	0
Totals	12	4	6	28

Score at half, 16-15. Alumni. Referee—Hajdasz.

Hamilton Beats Riggs

Hamilton defeated Riggs, 46-32, and Second National trounced Union Trust, 49-35, in two Bankers League games played last night at Western High School gym.

4 Sailors Win Over 5 Marines

Crime still doesn't pay. The Naval Reserve W-1 basketball team found that out yesterday, coming within a hair of dropping a game it had salted away. The Reservists had a commanding lead over the Marine Barracks of the Naval Gun Factory, when, with three minutes to play the sailors ran up against the delinquency problem.

Sailors kept fouling out until finally there were only four men left to hold off the Marines. The Leathernecks ran it back to 51-52 with their one-man advantage before the final buzzer sounded. Stan King led the winners with 16 points.

Video of Bullets' Games Halted as Crowds Drop 25%

Baltimore, Dec. 22 (AP).—R. C. Embry, president of Baltimore professional basketball and football teams, said today he will discontinue televising the court games.

Embry, reporting a 25 per cent decline in attendance, announced telecasts of the Baltimore Bullets' games will be stopped January 6. The halt may be temporary, depending on attendance, he said.

Embry also is president of the Baltimore Colts in the All-America Football Conference. He indicated future telecasts of the grid games are being studied, too.

La Salle, Temple Win Phila. Games

Philadelphia, Dec. 22 (AP).—La Salle College extended its undefeated streak to six straight with an uphill, 67-59 victory over Georgia Tech tonight in the feature of a Convention Hall double-header. Eddie Lerner's three points in the final 35 seconds gave Temple a 51-50 triumph over Colorado in the opener before 2839 fans.

McCoy Disqualified In Nead Match

Displaying little Christmas spirit and a disinclination to work, Bibber McCoy disqualified himself after 10 minutes on the Turner's mat last night against Wilbur Nead.

In the other matches, Michele Leone pinned Babe Sharkey, Laverne Baxter and George Macricostas drew, Jim Siskay was thrown by Dutch Schweigert and Stan Novak flattened Fred Carone.

Ohio Job Looks Good to Lewis

Parkersburg, W. Va., Dec. 22 (AP). Head Coach Art Lewis of Washington and Lee University indicated today he might be interested in moving back to Ohio University.

Asked about a report he was being considered as a successor to Harold E. Wise as head football coach at the Athens, Ohio, institution, he said "I wouldn't mind going back home." Lewis was graduated from Ohio University in 1936.

Lewis emphasized that he had given no particular thought to leaving Washington and Lee, where he said he has a contract as head football coach for the next two years. He added that "I'm always interested in looking for a job."

Wise, a member of the Ohio University staff for the last 10 years, submitted his resignation last night effective January 1. No reason was given for his action.

Lewis, who became line coach at W & L in 1942, was appointed head coach there in 1946 after three years of active duty in the Navy.

Alumni Team Beats Anacostia

A 19-point scoring spree in the third period by the Anacostia High Alumni while the Varsity could net only six, broke up a tight game and enabled the Alumni to score a 54-41 victory last night. Wally Warner, currently a member of the George Washington freshman quintet, scored 13 points for the Alumni as high man for the game.

Alumni	G	FG	PF	P
Warner, f	5	3	1	13
Migdol, f	1	1	0	3
Lear, f	2	0	0	4
Theasant, f	1	3	2	5
Sch'rger, c	2	1	1	5
Benner, c	2	0	2	4
Cranford, c	0	1	1	1
Kline, g	3	1	1	7
R.W'rang, g	1	0	2	2
J.W'rang, g	1	0	0	2
Kent, g	3	0	1	6
Slyther, g	0	0	1	0
Wolf, g	1	0	1	2
Totals	22	10	13	54

Varsity	G	FG	PF	P
Ryan, f	0	1	1	1
Neal, f	0	0	2	0
Cook, f	4	0	4	8
Brooks, f	3	0	0	6
Sherbert, c	1	0	1	2
Mitchell, c	0	0	3	0
Darr, g	0	0	0	0
Kim'lliss, g	0	0	0	0
Stroup, g	0	0	0	0
Erickson, g	4	1	0	9
Watson, g	0	0	2	0
Breuer, g	1	1	2	3
Schroeder, g	1	2	1	4
English, g	3	0	0	6
Totals	18	5	14	41

Halftime: Alumni, 18; Varsity, 17. Referee—Sturgis.

Sleepy's Wide Awake

Sleepy Thompson stayed awake long enough last night to drop in 15 points and pace his Crescent Cafe basketball team to a 46-41 victory over Connor's Grill in a Gordon Recreation League game last night at the Gordon Junior High School gym.

Bethesda JV Wins

The Bethesda Chevy Chase JV basketball team defeated Western's JV, 42-37, on an overtime game yesterday at Western gym. Buddy Lahr led the scorers with 11 points.

New Hospital Study Planned

Dr. J. R. Clemmons, New York hospital administrator who surveyed Alexandria Hospital last year, has agreed to make another survey as part of the effort to put the hospital on a sound financial basis.

City Councilman R. Samuel Luckett, chairman of the council's hospital committee who made the announcement yesterday, said he didn't know when Dr. Clemmons would start or how long the proposed survey would take.

Dr. Clemmons' survey last year dealt with administrative and personnel problems. The new one, Luckett indicated, will be a follow-up.

Already in progress is an audit of the hospital's books by the firm of Ernst & Ernst, and this, along with the new Clemmons study, will be turned over to a citizens' committee which will make recommendations to the hospital and the city council.

Study of the hospital's affairs began after the hospital announced it faced bankruptcy and requested a $60,000 grant from the city. The city council provided $20,000 and ordered an investigation.

Tom Clark Given Bound Speeches By B'nai B'rith

Officers of B'nai B'rith yesterday presented Attorney General Tom Clark with a bound volume of selections from his own speeches on human rights and citizenship.

Frank Goldman, president of the Jewish service organization, made the presentation at a luncheon in Clark's office. It was attended by three national officers of the organization.

"We recognize Clark as a kindred spirit in courageously defending civil liberties and human rights," Goldman said.

Dr. Wolfson Wins Jewish Literary Award of $500

Dr. Harry A. Wolfson, Harvard University professor of religion, last night was awarded the $500 prize of the Jewish Book Council of America for the best nonfiction work of the year.

The award, made in connection with Jewish Book Month, was presented to Dr. Wolfson for his work, "The Philo-Foundation of the Religious Philosophy in Judaism, Christianity and Islam."

Presentation was made by Hyman Goldman, president of the Jewish Community Council, in ceremonies at the Jewish Community Center.

Delano Gets Post In Hospital Drive

Comptroller of the Currency Preston Delano yesterday was named honorary chairman of the membership and purchasing fund campaign of Suburban Hospital, Bethesda, Md.

John H. Selby, president of the hospital board of trustees, said the hospital hopes to raise $75,000 for maintenance and community service. Any additional funds will be applied toward purchase of the hospital from the Federal Government, he said.

Rebel Attack Reported Near Yugoslav Line

Athens, Dec. 22 (AP).—The general staff said tonight two guerilla forces began simultaneous attacks early today on Edessa and Niaousta, both less than 30 miles from the Yugoslav border.

The battle is continuing. The attacking forces totaled 2000 men and they used heavy mortars and machine-gun fire, the army said.

Another rebel force was reported cut to bits northwest of Drama, near the Bulgarian border. The communique said 62 rebels were killed and 50 captured.

Trade Board, Orchestra Discuss Fund Campaign

Representatives of the National Symphony Orchestra and the Washington Board of Trade's cultural development committee continued discussion yesterday on the possibility of cooperation in the February sustaining fund campaign for the symphony.

The committee would like a budget for the summer Watergate concert series included in the overall fund drive. After yesterday's meeting, a spokesman said further discussions were slated "before positive action may be taken."

Robbery Case Figure Sentenced On Traffic Charge

Jan C. Gibbs, 18, of 3217 Randle pl. se., who with another youth and two girls has been accused of robbing and kidnaping a druggist December 15, yesterday was sentenced to pay $130 or serve 36 days for traffic charges, growing out of the quartet's flight from police the same morning.

Gibbs pleaded guilty in Municipal Court to charges of unreasonable speed, two counts of driving on the wrong side of the street and one of going through a stop sign.

Police said he was the driver of the car, which led police on a chase after they received the report of the robbery and kidnaping from Columbus Washington Henry, 64, proprietor of a drug store at 3127 Nichols ave. se. The young quartet was finally stopped by a park police cruiser.

Gibbs, along with Corpl. Eugene Kniskern, 23, of the Bolling Air Base, and Miss Nadine Van Gorder, 19, of 904 Alabama ave. se., are being held under $10,000 bond each for grand jury action on charges of robbery in the case. Kniskern's 15-year-old wife was turned over to juvenile authorities. Her father has started action in District Court for annulment of her marriage.

Col. W. F. Nee Is Awarded French Medal

Lt. Col. William F. Nee, public information officer, Military District of Washington, was decorated with the Palmes Academique yesterday afternoon by the French military attache, Col. Jacques de la Boisse.

The medal was awarded in recognition of Colonel Nee's services [illegible] educational opportunities for the French during the last war. The ceremony was held in the French Embassy chancery, 2535 Belmont rd. nw.

Colonel Nee lives at 700 18th st. S., Arlington, Va., and has been District PIO since 1947, when he returned from duty with the Army of Occupation in Germany.

In addition to his public information activity, Colonel Nee organized and now supervises Pentagon educational program in cooperation with the University of Maryland.

Quantico Marine's Fiancee Reaches U. S.

Seattle, Dec. 22 (AP).—Two alien fiancees of Americans, one traveling on a Russian passport, are aboard the transport Republic docking here today, the Seattle Port of Embarkation reported.

Also among the 627 passengers from Shanghai and Yokohama are 42 "war brides" and 357 Americans evacuated from China.

Miss Tamara V. Rogozarsky, the fiancee of a Quantico, Va., Marine Corps private, is bound for the San Lorenzo, Calif., home of Mrs. George W. Miller, listed as her sponsor. The Army here did not have the name of her fiance.

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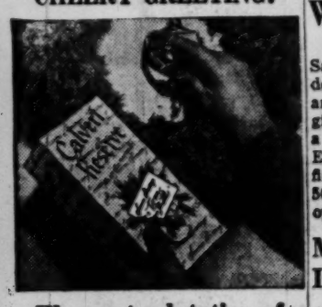
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
For the District of Columbia, holding a Probate Court. Estate of Jennie W. Gibson, deceased. No. 72100. Administration Docket 152. Application having been made herein for probate of the last will and testament of said deceased, and for letters testamentary on said estate, by William W. Gibson, it is ordered this 7th day of December, A. D. 1948, that Margaret Gibson Tate, nonresident, and all others concerned, appear in said Court on TUESDAY, the 18th day of January, A. D. 1949, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why such application should not be granted. Let notice hereof be published in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post, once in each of three successive weeks before the return day herein mentioned, the first publication to be not less than thirty days before said return day. Witness, the Honorable BOLITHA J. LAWS, Chief Judge of said Court, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1948. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.
Dec.9,16,23

JAMES E. SHIFFLETTE, Attorney, 430 Washington Building.

Filed December 21, 1948—Harry M. Hull, Clerk.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia. Ethel Walker Wilkinson, plaintiff, vs. George A. Wilkinson, defendant. Civil Action No. 4436-48. The object of this suit is for an absolute divorce on the ground of desertion for two years. On motion of the plaintiff, it is this 21st day of December, 1948, ordered that the defendant, George A. Wilkinson, cause his appearance to be entered herein on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, succeeding after the day of the first publication of this order; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default. Provided, a copy of this order be published once a week for three successive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post before said day. JAS. W. MORRIS, Judge. Attest: (Seal.) HARRY M. HULL, Clerk. By CLARA F. CONNELL, Deputy Clerk.
Dec.23,30,Jan.6.

OFFICE OF THE FIREMEN'S INSURANCE COMPANY OF WASHINGTON AND GEORGETOWN, 303 Seventh Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C. The stockholders of the Firemen's Insurance Company of Washington and Georgetown will meet at the office of the Company on Monday, January 3, 1949, for the purpose of electing thirteen directors for the ensuing year. Polls open from 11 a. m. to 12 noon.
J. V. MANNING HOFFMAN, Secretary.

Official Notices 5

NOTICE—SALE OF DELINQUENT TAX PROPERTY. Office of the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, December 13, 1948. Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1927, as amended, there has been printed in all regular issues of the Washington Daily News Newspaper on December 7th and 14th, 1948, a list of taxes in arrears on real property in the District of Columbia on July 1, 1948, including special assessments overdue, and if these taxes and assessments overdue, with the penalties and costs, are not paid prior to January 18, 1949, the date fixed for sale, the property involved will be sold at public auction by the Collector of Taxes, D. C., Room 500, District Building, commencing January 18, 1949, and continuing each day Sunday and legal holidays excepted, until all such delinquent property is sold. JOHN RUSSELL YOUNG, GUY MASON, GORDON R. YOUNG, Commissioners of the District of Columbia. Attest: G. M. Thornett, Secretary.
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BILLFOLD, brown leather, cont. $46; probably on 19th st. bus or 14th st. shopping area. Reward. NO. 5767.

BRACELET, link, heavy silver; on Monday; OR. 0692 after 7 p. m.

CAT, large male, black, white paws and chest, lost 20th, vic. 850 N Jackson, Arlington. Reward. CH. 6937.

COCKER SPANIEL, female, buff color, near District Hts. section. HI. 6008.

EARRING, green jade, near Conn. and R st.; reward. Mi. 7951, Ext. 312.

EYEGLASSES, Sun. eve., Decatur pl.; dark brown, shell rims. AD. 6383.

MIXED COLLIE PUPPY, 10 weeks old; sable with white paws, chest, nose; answers name Rex. Disappeared at 46 Kim! ave., Takoma Park, Monday noon; reward. GE. 8332 or above address.

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POLICE DOG, male, fawn and black, very large. Ft. Belvoir tag. Monday night, Ft. Belvoir vic.; children's pet. Reward. Phone Ft. Belvoir 3137; 157 21st st., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

PURSE, Roman-striped silk, containing about $45, vic. 14th and Harvard sts. nw. Wednesday a. m. Reward. EM. 9260.

PURSE, lady's; brown suede. Reward. TE. 7974 eves.; UN. 1326 days.

SCARF, mink, Friday, probably in cab to or from Airport or Union Station; liberal reward. Call Monday, Mr. Barnard, EX. 3234.

SHORT-HAIRED TERRIER—Vic. Indian Head, Md.; male, black with 4 white feet and tip of tail, white half-collar. Answers to "Jeep." D. C. license 12133. Reward, $20. TR. 0114, after 6 p. m., or write Cooper, 810 Mass. ave. ne.

WALLET, green lizard, vic. 14th and 15th, Girard nw. DE. 7172, aft. 6 p. m.

WALLET by high school girl, containing Christmas shopping money and misc. papers; name inscribed on wallet J. G. Williams; reward. ST. 4309—OV. 4463.

WALLET, red, lost in vic. of Peoples Drug Store, Queens Chapel Manor, Md.; identification inside. Reward. WA. 9900, Bus. office.

WATCH, lady's Bulova, at Silver Spring Hot Shoppe. Reward. DU. 8331.

WATCH, lady's, gold, with small diamonds, gold band, Dec. 17, between Navy Dept. and 2127 California st. nw., possibly on L-5 bus; reward. RE. 7400, Ext. 62270.

WRIST WATCH, diamond, lost on Conn. ave. bet. R and L nw. Sat. Reward. CO. 2000, ext. 405-C.

$25 REWARD
Pointer, liver and white, young, male, weighs about 50 lbs., strayed from 2604 36th st. nw.; answers to name "Ben." owner's name on collar. Call EM. 2659.

$50 REWARD—Lady's diamond solitaire ring, white gold, lost Dec. 7, probably downtown. Mr. Green, NA. 3373.

Personals 11

ACCOUNTANT EXPERT—Books started, kept; part-time; taxes; reas. OR. 2074.

CURTAINS washed, stretched and laundry, called for and delivered. MI. 8058.

BACHELORS' LAUNDRY wanted; you bring and pick up; guaranteed service. 1614 Lamont st. nw. HO. 9479.

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Motor Travel 11A

DRIVING to Miami Dec. 26; can take 1 or 2 passengers. EM. 3899, after 7 p. m.

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BAUM & LEVY, Attorneys, 1631 K St. N.W.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 71978, Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber of the State of Virginia has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the estate of Louis Cohen, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 2D DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1949; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 2d day of November, 1948. LOUISE SISSMAN, 1400 S. Edgewood St., Arlington, Va. Attest: (Seal.) MELVIN MARQUES, Deputy Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.
Dec.16,23,30

WILMER & BROUN, Attorneys, 616-621 Transportation Building.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 71170, Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber of the State of Florida has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, ancillary letters of administration on the estate of Frank M. Williams, also known as Francis M. Williams, late of the State of Florida, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 6TH DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1949; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 6th day of December, 1948. MARGARET V. WILLIAMS, P.O. Box 1125, Stuart, Fla. Attest: (Seal.) ELLA A. BROWN, Deputy Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.
Dec.16,23,30

THOMAS F. BURKE, Attorney, Woodward Building

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 71494, Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber of the District of Columbia has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, Letters Testamentary on the estate of Carrie E. Cook, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 30TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1949; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 30th day of November, 1948. RAYMOND DYER, 340 14th St. S.E. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.
Dec.9,16,23.

PHILIP ROSENFELD, Attorney, 1109 Woodward Building.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding a Probate Court. Estate of Emma Eleanor Shepherd, deceased. No. 72127. Administration Docket 152. Application having been made herein for probate of the last will and testament of said deceased, and for letters testamentary on said estate, by E. Edward Early, it is ordered this 7th day of December, A. D. 1948, that Elizabeth Bertache, Albert E. Wiggin, jr., Edith B. Cameron, Ada S. Macomber, Carrie Ellen Bussell, nonresidents, and all others concerned, appear in said Court on TUESDAY, the 18th day of January, A. D. 1949, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why such application should not be granted. Let notice hereof be published in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post, once in each of three successive weeks before the return day herein mentioned, the first publication to be not less than thirty days before said return day. Witness, the Honorable BOLITHA J. LAWS, Chief Judge of said Court, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1948. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.
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Wanted for Diamond cabs. New and used cabs avail. Reas. rental rates. Must have identification card. Apply Diamond lot, 101 M st. ne. See MELVIN HERRIMAN.

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College background preferred; excellent opportunity for training in a career. For appointment
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WORTHINGTON SERVICES, SLigo 3700.

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RUPHERS EMPLOYMENT AGENCY has these jobs open: 9 to 7, 4 in family, 5½ days, $25; 5 days, plain cook, 5 in family, $25; 3 adults, $80 mo.; clean office, 5 to 9 p. m., 6 days, 70c hour; 8 to 6, no cooking, $20; fare; 9 to 5, no cooking, Silver Spring, $25. 1837 11th st. nw.

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YOUN MAN, col., wants living quarters in exchange for miscellaneous chores; good character and refs. TR. 2405.

Situations, Women 20

PRACTICAL NURSES available, trained graduates, day or night duty; reas. rates DI. 4384. Miss Davis, weekdays only.

Situations, Domestic 21

FOR EXPERIENCED domestic help, call Home Service, NO. 3659.

Money to Loan 23

ON DIAMONDS, watches, jewelry, silverware and miscellaneous articles. LOUIS ABRAHAMS, 3225 Rhode Island ave. ne.

Business Opportunities 29

RESTAURANT, downtown; seats 55; heart of business section; rent $205; $16,500, terms. R. M. DeShazo, 1424 K st. nw. NA. 5320.

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COLUMBIA RD. NW., 1834—Gentlemen; sgle., $6 wk.; dble., $7 wk. ea.; clean, comf. sgle. beds; showers, baths, c.h.w.; Mt. Pleasant car line. AD. 4330.

COLORADO AVE. N.W., 5248—2 large rms., pvt. bath; kitchen priv.; children allowed. RA. 0914.

COLORADO AVE. NW., 5406—Comf. furn. rm., lge. closet; lge. det. home; conv. car and bus; $35. GE. 4889.

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G ST. NW., 1825, Hotel Howard, vic. White House—Sgle., $2 day, $10 wk.; dble., $4 day, $14 wk.; triple, $17.50 wk.; run wat., rm. ph., sh'rs. RE. 5322.

GLOVER PK.—Master bedrm., twin beds, nicely furn., tile bath, very lge. priv.; refrigerator; $55 mo. OR. 5436.

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16TH ST. NW., 1113, near Statler—Large studio room for man; fireplace, phone. Private home. $60. DI. 1113.

18th ST. N.W., 1624—Farmington Hotel, good neighborhood, conv. transp.; daily maid service, 24-hour switchboard service, telephone in rooms; double, $15; single, $10 week. DE. 4750.

32ND ST. NW., 3002—West of Shoreham. Attr., lge., quiet rm., lge. closet; Christian home; male; $50. WO. 1527.

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COL.—1212 Euclid nw., 2 twin bedr., all priva.; ref.; epl. or girls. VI. 8359.

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Rooms, Furnished 34

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COLORED—Double room for employed young couple; all home privileges. AX. 3822, mornings.

COLORED, 43 M st. nw.—Double rooms, $10, $12; conv. transp. DI. 6814.

COLORED GIRL, between 25-35; room free; to care for colored home during day. RE. 7378 after 5 p. m.

Housekeeping Suites 37

AMES ST. NE., 3943—L. H. K. room; 2 or 3 adults; all accomms. VI. 7236.

COLUMBIA RD. NW., 1368—L.h.k. room with studio couch, sink, gas plate, refrig., $54.50 month; employed couple only.

F ST. NW., 2147—Small studio room; share elec. refrig.; $10-$15. EX. 0653.

ROSEDALE ST. N.E., 1527—L.h.k. room, all conveniences. FR. 4364.

TELEVISION avail.; studio rm., elec. refrig.; $1-$3 day. EX. 0653.

COLORED—1 double furn. room; 1 single furn. room; all housekeeping priv.; conv. to transp. LU. 0036 after 5 p. m.

Rooms With Board 39

ARL.—Newly dec. dble. and sgle., 7 baths and shower, club lounge; $18-$20 week; close in. Mrs. Fay, OW. 6253.

CRESTWOOD CLUB, 4107 Conn. Ave.—Double room; also spaces to share; good Southern cooking. Sunday breakfast included; good transp. EM. 4074.

DUPONT CIRCLE, 1754 Mass. ave. nw. Dble for girls; share room; pvt. bath; vacancy, man; homemade pastry and bread; outside boarders taken; nr. trans.

DUPONT CIR., 1779 Mass. ave.—Attr. sh. rm., 2 girls; excel. meals. DU. 9557.

R. I. AVE. NW., 1517—Large dble. rm. with good meals; $12.50 wk. each.

S ST. NW., 2107 (½ blk. Conn.)—Sgle., dble. rms.; homecooked food. HU. 7771.

WESLEY HALL—Comprises 24 fine private houses in one block; cheerful rooms, running water in rooms, maid service; social activity; large selection on menu; double rooms and rooms to share for men or women; $48 to $57.50 per month. 1426 21st st. nw.

16TH & KENNEDY VIC.—Rms.; exc. board; maid serv.; laun. priv. TA. 8427

Room Board 41

COMFORTABLE HOME for working mothers, day care of child; reasonable. 3423 Oakwood ter. nw., Mt. 9692.

Apts., Furn. or Unfurn. 45

WESTCHESTER VIC.—For quiet refined couple; foyer, liv. rm., dining rm., de luxe all-electric kitchen, ultra-modern colored bath with vitrolite walls; 2 bedrooms and den; newly decorated; $175 incl. utilities; furn. for sale. WO. 0322.

Apartments, Furnished 46

BRIGHTWOOD—Studio rm., kitchen and bath; front pvt. entrance; $65, including utilities; for business adults. 1410 Oglethorpe st. nw. TA. 5474.

CONN. AVE., 5123—2-room apt.; pvt. phone; empl. couple; $100 mo. EM. 2782.

SW.—1-room, kit., semipvt. bath. Sober working couple. DI. 5562.

STUDIO ROOM, refrigerator, electric grill; vic. 14th and Park rd. nw. Dupont Realty Co., DU. 5030, 2505 Champlain st. nw.

1-ROOM, kit., bath, completely furn. apts. at the Francis Scott Key Apartment Hotel, 600 20th st. nw. NA. 9423.

Available Immediately

2-room and bath apartment, $25c month; 1 room and bath; all furnished, with full hotel service. Call Chas. L. Hutchinson, general manager, HOTEL 2400. CO. 7200.

V ST. SE., 5120—5-room apt., priv. bath and kitchen; adults only; $100 month; utilities furnished. HI. 9378.

ONE ROOM, pvt. kitchen; newly redec.; gentile home; nr. 12th and Pa. ave. se.; $65 per month; avail Jan. 1. FR. 9139.

809 Mt. Vernon Pl. N.W.

Nicely furn. room with stove, refrig. and sink, $50 month. RE. 8264.

14th AND PARK RD. VIC.—1341 Oak st. nw.; studio room, refrigerator and electric grill; single or double. Come after 12 noon.

LARGE APT., 2 bedrms., kit., din.-liv. rm. and bath; also use of rm. finished attic; Kensington suburbs, private home; ideal for family with children. 20 min. to town. Near all conv. $105. All utilities paid. PLeasant 8403, after 6 p. m.

1-ROOM and kitchen, Venetian blinds, all furn.; excellent transp.; semiprivate bath; 1 block Senate; suitable for 2 girl friends. TR. 9091.

COLORED—2-room basement, kit., semipvt. bath; 2 empl. persons; partly furn. or unfurn. inc. gas, elec., refrig. 1011 50th pl. ne.

COLORED—Bedroom and kitchen apt. for intelligent, employed persons; no children, pets or drinking. LU. 2281.

Apts., Houses to Share 46A

ALEXANDRIA—Rent free in exchange for after-school child care. OV. 5866, after 7:30 p. m.

BACH. APT. to share with 1 other girl. OL. 2394.

1 GIRL to share living room, bedrm., kit., bath with 1 other. Conv. buses, streetcars. 1328 Holbrook St. N.E. after 6:30.

COLORED—Girl, 20-36, share two-room, kitchen and bath apt. Call between 7 and 8:30 at night. DE. 4006.

COLORED—Congenial lady, 24-30; must have college training; share 1-room, kitchen and bath apt. in NW. CO. 6363 after 6.

Apartments, Unfurnished 47

APPLICATIONS now being accepted at the Quarles Arms Apartments 5353 Quincy pl., Bladensburg, Md.

MANCHESTER GARDENS
SILVER SPRING, MD.
AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY
5 Rooms (2 Bedrooms), $98.50.
4 Rooms (1 Bedroom) $85.50.
INCLUDING UTILITIES
VETERANS' PREFERENCE
To inspect—Out New Hampshire ave., turn left at road about 100 ft. past University Inn; representative on premises. TA. 7495.

ENTIRE 3RD FLOOR, small downtown building consists of 3 rooms; rent $105 per month. Immed. poss. Rent includes heat and electric. For inspection, see Dixie Realty Co., 1417 L st. nw.

COLORED—2 rooms, kitchen, semi-private bath; reasonable. AX. 3963 after 6 p. m.

Apartments Wanted 48

AIR FORCE OFFICER, father; 1 or 2 bedrm. apt. or house furn.; Conn. ave., 16th st. or Ch. Ch. Cir. vic. WO. 2450.

BACHELOR desires small furn. apt., N.W., Silver Spring, SH. 7100, 8 to 4:30. SLigo 5821, after 4:30.

BUSINESS couple desires 1-bedrm. unfurn. apt. by Jan. 15; maximum $65. S.E. preferred. EX. 1162.

BUILDERS, OWNERS, MANAGERS—Apartments needed for deserving veterans. Please phone AD. 7050, American Legion Housing Committee.

DIPLOMAT, wife, no children, want furn. or unfurn. 1-bedroom apt., Northwest. AD. 7200, Ext. 19.

EFFICIENCY APARTMENT

Furnished, with kitchen; executive desires location convenient to downtown area. Approx. $85. Mr. Harrison, RE. 8269.

ENGAGED COUPLE desires 3-room unfurn. apt. by Jan. 8. Prefer Cpl. Eby vic. Sun. through Thurs. call EX. 8050, Ext. 461; ask for Mr. Milchak.

LISTING SERVICE

We have over 100 employer seeking houses or completely private apartments under $75 per month. We will be glad to list your house or apartment (not rooms) without charge. Please phone Capital Transit Co., MI. 6363 weekdays, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Just say "I want to list some housing."

MARYLAND UNIV. prof. getting married Jan. dec. small mod., pref. unfurn. apt., near trans. to downtown D. C. and access to College Park. CO. 1043, morn.

NAVY MAN, wife and 2 children, need furn. or unfurn. bsmt. apt. by Jan. 1. RE. 7400, ext. 62182. Ask for Ray.

SISTERS (2) desire furn. liv. rm., bedrm., kit.-bath apt.; N.W. to $95. ST. 9200, ext. 638; after 6, HO. 1420.

VET, wife, 2 child. (9 mos., 4½ yrs.), need furn. apt., pref. N.E.; $60 max. DI. 6620, Ext. 301, any time.

WAITE WAITED 4 mos. to get married. Now MUCH LONGER! Desperately need furn. apt. in N.W. before my lucky day! Box 1084, Wash. Post.

1-RM., kit., bath unfurn. apt.; prefer apt. bldg. No share. Must be conv. to transportation. NO. 0738.

WILL GIVE personal snapshot album of Adolf Hitler for furn. or unfurn. apt. for family of 3. HU. 6786.

3 EX-NAVAL OFFICERS (students) need apt., nw. NO. 5307 before 5 p. m.

COLORED—2 ref. men need 1 or 2 rm. unfurn. apt., kit. DE. 9562 after 4:30.

COLORED COUPLE and infant desire 3 rooms, kitchen and bath, furnished or unfurnished. $65. TR. 7336.

Moving and Storage 49

BEVENEY TRANSFER—DU. 3817. Local, long-distance movers, small local pickups $3 up. Mt. 2434 eves.

HAULERS and moving, light or heavy; days, night, Sun.; insured. TA. 4911.

MARINE VETERAN; luggage, trunks, light loads; 24-hr. service. AT. 2759.

MOVING AND TRANSFER by a veteran; reasonable rates; reliable service; free estimates. OW. 1751.

Houses, Furnished 50

ARL.—Completely furn. modern home, 3 bedrms. $225 mo. Restricted conv. neighborhood. Avail. Jan. OW. 8284.

ARLINGTON—Exclusive Lyon Village, brick, 5 bedrooms, maid's room, 4 baths, garage; 1-year lease, option to renew. J. FULLER GROOM REALTY, OX. 4487 Eves., OW. 4485, GL. 2247, GL. 6757

BETHESDA

Attractively furnished 2-bedroom bungalow, 1 block from Wis. ave., vicinity Naval Hospital. Gas heat. Children welcome. $150 monthly.
HO. 3057 Day. MI. 8534 Eves.

Houses, Furnished 50

CHEVY CHASE, D. C.

Detached brick, 7 rooms, 1½ baths, gas hot-water heat, garage; $225 mo.; available immediately. George I. Borger, 643 Indiana ave. nw. NA. 0350.

GEORGETOWN

1428 36th St.
VERY ATTRACTIVELY AND COMPLETELY FURNISHED 2-bedroom home. Large dressing room, living room with fireplace, powder room and garden. Available Jan. 1st; $200 monthly.
HO. 3057 Day. MI. 8534 Eves.

NW. SECT.—8-room furn. house, 5 bedrooms, $175. RA. 2051, after 6.

ROCK CREEK FOREST

6 rooms, 1 bath, attached gar., $172.50
BETHESDA
Spacious 6 rooms, 1½ baths, attached 2-car garage, recreation room and bath; $250.
Call Mrs. Christman
ALLIED REALTY CORP., WI. 6649.

SILVER SPRING, Sligo ave.; 1st floor, kitchen, dining room, living room, sun porch; 2d floor, 4 bedrooms, 1 bath; completely furn.; $200. SH. 8891.

BEAUTIFUL MODERN RESIDENCE

At Clinton, Md., 25 min. drive south of Washington near Andrews Field. Attractively furnished, 4 large bedrooms, 2 baths. Dormitory on 3rd floor. $250 per month.
JOHN L. KING & CO., INC.
DI. 7713. SH. 3838

COMFORTABLE HOME with large yard and garden in Chevy Chase, D. C.; 4 bedrooms, 1½ baths, living room with fireplace, dining room, well-equipped kit., entr. hall; full bsmt. with maid's room and bath; well furn. Available Jan. 1, year lease. $250 mo. Call weekdays.
J. R. Toncher Co. AD. 2644

FURN. 6-room home in Vienna ... $150
Furn. large new 3 bedroom brick, in Fairfax $200
Partially furn. home in Arlington ... $135
4-room bungalow and 50 stall dog kennel, Lee Highway $100
Eastman & Seay
Realtors 4 FA. 2620

FOR RENT

Attractive and completely furnished house for rent at 5333 16th st. nw.; spacious living room, dining room, kitchen and study on 1st floor; 4 cheerful bedrooms with 2 baths upstairs; oil heat; screened porch and 2-car garage; servants' rooms in basement; $400 month.
JOHN L. KING & CO., Inc.
DI. 7713-SH. 3838.

BELONGING to United Nations official, for a period of 7 months; 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2236 Cathedral ave. nw. DE. 8946. Occupancy Jan. 1. $200 per month.

SPACIOUS HOME—For gracious living; 9 bedrooms, 2½ baths; 30 min. to Washington via Va. DE. 5212.

GUEST HOUSE—4 rooms, 2 baths, large screened porch; $100 mo.; DE. 5212.

COMPLETELY FURNISHED, immediate possession, in Chevy Chase, D. C. This charming colonial home contains 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths and 2 pine-paneled rooms on 3rd floor. $270 per month. Eves. call Mrs. Harper, WI. 1875.
H. J. Korzendorfer Co., Inc.
OL. 5336.

22D AND S. DAKOTA NE.—Det. cozy 5-rm. (2 bedrms.), large yd., restricted; 2 mos. or longer; $150 (inc. utilities) mo. HO. 8236.

Houses, Unfurnished 51

JONES BRIDGE RD., 3909, Chevy Chase, Md., ½ block from Conn. ave.—6 rooms, 1½ baths, brick; garage; $200 per mo.; immediate possession; large lot. Fulton R. Gordon, owner, 1427 Eye st. nw. DI. 5230. Brokers' attention.

SILVER SPRING—8620 and 8618 Old Bladensburg rd.—New detached 2-story brick; 1st floor, living room, dining room, kitchen and bath. 2d floor, 2 bedrooms and bath. Full basement with shower and ½ bath. Automatic hot-air heat. Rent $150 each per month. SH. 8591.

MEDICAL CENTER

Several choice locations, immediately available.
RIDDELL REALTY CO.
1742 K St. N.W. DI. 7900.

NEW HOUSE, 5 rooms, recreation room; gas heat; fireplace; refrigerator. Call SP. 0404.

Suburban Rent 52

MT. VERNON BLVD., 20 min D. C., partly furn. 5-room cottage; oil heat, elec. kitchen, city conveniences; child okay, $100 mo. TE. 7447.

Wanted to Rent 53

APARTMENT or unfurn. house, Arl., Falls Ch. area; max. $85. CL. 6250.

NEED BY JAN. 1—3 or 4 bedrm. furn. house. Excellent care. $175 to $250 mo. N.W. preferred. Please call EM. 1826.

WAR WIDOW (business woman) desperately needs furn. apt. or house for 3 (mother and 9-year daughter); $60-$100. NA. 8772 weekdays.

WE PROTECT the owner's interest. Let LURIA BROS. manage the rental of your home. 2300 Wilson blvd., Arlington, Va. OW. 8500.

Out-of-Town—Rentals 54

HOLLYWOOD BEACH, FLORIDA—5-rm. bungalow, screened porch, living-room, 2 master bedrms., tile bath, maid's bedrm., bath, elec. kitchen; 400 ft. to beach. Season to April 30th. L. W. Wheeler, 347 Madison St.

Offices, Studios—Rent 55

GEORGETOWN—Very attractive large room with fireplace, suitable for gift, antique or stationery shop, show room or professional office. Lavatory and storage space. Building newly remodeled. Call DE. 7117 or NO. 0304.

OFFICE in Georgetown—Ground floor, about 150 sq. ft.; partially furn., $40 mo. Call during business hours, AD 0063 or write E. L. Browning, Jr., 3145 N st. nw.

15TH & K STS. N.W.

Desirable offices or space in law office and real estate. Rooms off reception. Services discussed. DI. 3131.

Garages, Sale—Rent 58

3700 GEORGIA AVE. N.W.—Garage for rent, reasonable. RA. 8726 after 6.

Stores, Rent 61

BELLEVIEW GARDENS—960 sq. ft., good location. Reasonable. LI. 2828.

Sale Investment Property 62

ATTENTION, INVESTORS

17-UNIT APT. BLDG.
16th & COLUMBIA RD. VIC.
Meets new fire regulations.
Low operating cost. Good return.
EXCLUSIVE WITH
WILLIAM T. TILLER
Mills Bldg. RE. 6508, Eves. VI. 8916.

Real Estate Loans 63A

CASH FOR 2D TRUST NOTES
(White or colored.) Quick settlement. Pref

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COCKER, black female, 7 wks., A.K.C. reg. and pedigreed; long line of champions, bred for gentle disposition; excellent prospects bred and show. Priced to sell by Xmas. FA. 1924.

COCKER SPANIEL, female puppies, pedigreed; very reasonably priced for good homes. WI. 7731.

COCKER SPANIEL puppies, champion sired. Candidate and Trader blood lines. Charles E. Finan, M. D., State Hospital, Morganton, N. C.

COCKER PUPS, 3 mos. old; A.K.C. registered; 9 ch. in bloodline, incl. Ch. My Own Brucie; 1 black female, $20. KE. 6198.

COCKERS—8 weeks, black and buff; male and females; ideal Xmas gift. AKC reg.; $20 and $30. OT. 8542.

COCKER PUP, male, 7 mos. old, AKC reg., white with red markings, wonderful disposition; ideal Xmas present for child. WO. 4121.

COCKER PUPS, 6 weeks old, champion bloodlines, A. K. C. registered. FA. 1829.

COCKER SPANIEL—2 beautiful female puppies, 4 mos. old, AKC reg.; will deliver for Xmas. 2114 South 26th st., Ari., Va. GL. 5383.

COCKER, female, 11 months, red and white; housebroken, car-broken. WO. 7725.

COCKER PUPPIES, black, female, 5 months. WO. 7725.

COCKER PUPS, $20 up; A.K.C. reg.; all colors; wormed, inoc. SI. 0206.

COLLIE-SHEPHERD PUPS, lovely mother; reasonable to right buyer. OV. 2874.

COLLIE PUPPIES, AKC registered, Champion stock, $50. 604 No. Emerson st., Arlington. GL. 1049.

COLLIE PUPPIES—AKC reg., 9 weeks, healthy, gay, friendly puppies from parents with excellent dispositions. TA. 0835.

COLLIE PUP—Will deliver this beautiful tri-colored male any time you say on Xmas Eve. Delight the kids. Call OL. 9209.

DACHSHUND, red, female, 6 mo. old, AKC reg.; champion-sired; $40. OL. 4087.

ENGLISH SETTER, registered; female; trained for hunting. FA. 3151.

FREE HOME wanted for black retriever puppy, male, 3 weeks. FA. 5676.

FRENCH Poodle puppy, pick of litter, beautiful male; blk.; standard. TE. 1500.

FRENCH poodle, female, 10 mos., black, AKC, house-broken; perfect pet; $150. OL. 4400, Ext. 141; CH. 9217.

GERMAN Shepherd pups, Seeing Eye stock; wormed, inoc.; $20 up. SI. 0206.

GENTLE, affectionate, ideal pets for children; Siberian husky puppies, AKC, champion lines. Cheracha Kennels, GL. 9273.

GORDON SETTER, female, 10 wks. old, $30. Call Mary Montfort, DI. 2900, or EX. 8999.

HOLLYWOOD KENNELS
Boarding; cocker spaniel puppies and stud service. TO. 5139.

IRISH SETTER PUPPIES, 8 weeks; excellent breeding; a beautiful and lasting Xmas present. Marlboro 3274.

PUPPIES, cocker spaniel (black), 8 wks. old, thoroughbred; make splendid presents; $35. GE. 1420.

RAT TERRIER PUPPIES, large, $5. AT. 6769.

REGISTERED cocker puppies; attrac. priced. Phone Frederick, Md. 342-W.

SCOTTIES, female, 7 weeks; male, 9 mos.; AKC reg.; $50 each. FA. 8176.

SCOTTISH TERRIER PUPS, 2 males, 6 weeks old, black, from registered stock; just the present for Xmas. TE. 8763.

SHEPHERD puppies, 8 wks. old, black & white spotted, black & brown. DU. 8529.

SIAMESE KITTENS, sealpoint, pedigreed; healthy, affectionate. DE. 7927.

SIAMESE KITTENS, 4 mos., Sealpoint. After 6 p. m., OL. 7691.

WIRE FOX TERRIER puppies, 7 wks. old; registered A.K.C. Call OW. 8049.

WILL GIVE good home to small clean healthy dog, house broken, fond of children. Prefer cocker or dachshund, female, 1 or 2 years old. Call before Christmas. OW. 7196.

Sale Miscellaneous 78

ACCORDION—Soprano, 90-bass; white; practically new. FL. 8548.

ACCORDION (piano), L. Rosati, 80-bass, good condition; $125. AT. 1887.

ACCORDION, 24 bass, Hohner, excellent cond.; priced for quick sale. CO. 6091.

ACCORDION. 120-bass, 2-shift, exc. condition, $250. WO. 3456.

ACCORDION—12 bass Italian prewar. Excellent condition. CO. 3717.

AFGHAN (new), hand-made, "grandmother" pattern, orange, brown, yellow; $40. TE. 4297.

ANTIQUE walnut doll cradle with hand-woven coverlet; old-fashioned doll, baby-doll dressed. OV. 0508.

ANTIQUES—Mahogany dropleaf breakfast table for apartment, $50; mahogany chest, $60; clock, $10; gilt chairs, $10 each; old chairs, $5 each; pine chest, museum piece, $395; desk, with satin wood inlay, $240 or offer; wing chair, $35; water colors, $10 each; brass rotisserie magazine racks, $15 each; old andirons, $20 pair; painting, $10; also steel engravings, teapots, trays, pictures, etc.; bargains. OV. 4315.

BABIES' cribs, strollers, etc., for rent; delivered. Baby's Butler Service, 60 Canal st. sw. EX. 4370.

BABY BATHINETTE, practically new, $15. OX. 0103.

BABY CARRIAGE, good condition, $12. Originally $30. SUgo 4742.

BABY carriage, collapsible, Collier-Keyworth pad; exc. cond.; $15. ME. 0952.

BABY CARRIAGE, good cond., gray; best offer. OR. 3629.

BATHINET, new tub, $14.50; scales, $3. ME. 1777.

BABY CRIB, new, still in carton, $30. Will deliver. TA. 0879, 9:30 to 1.

BED LEGS—MAKE A HOLLYWOOD BED FROM YOUR COIL OR BOX SPRINGS. SLigo 9594.

BED DAVENPORT, with slipcovers, good condition. NA. 3120, Ext. 185, 10-5 p.m.

BED SPRINGS, coil, for double bed; $8. GL. 6985.

Sale, Miscellaneous 78

BEDSPREAD, hand crochet, brand new, double size. CH. 1967.

BEDROOM suite (3), poster bed), 5-pc. maple, with curtains and scatter rugs; 2 lamps; reasonable. MI. 6769.

BEDROOM suite, walnut, antique white trim, double bed, Simmons box spring and mattress; sacrifice $200; drapes, etc. GE. 2516.

BICYCLE, girl's; fair cond.; full size; $15. FA. 6520.

BICYCLE, boy's, 26-in. Rollfast; good condition; $20. NO. 3877.

BICYCLE, girl's, 26-in., perfect mechanical condition, $20. WA. 2714 after 5.

BICYCLES (2), girl's; also boy's; good condition. CO. 6272.

BICYCLE—Rollfast, 28 in., cost $69. Will sell, $25. 1014 12th st. nw.

BICYCLES (2), boy's and girl's, de luxe models, excel. cond., $20 ea. Can be seen anytime, 7027 MacArthur blvd.

BICYCLE, girl's, 26-in., Westfield, good condition, $25. CH. 2136.

BICYCLE, English Racer, good cond.; best offer, as is. WI. 3117.

BICYCLE, boy's full size, nearly new, $29. CH. 1675.

BICYCLE, boy's, 28-in.; balloon tires; excel. cond.; $15; also boy's skates, size 9, roller rink, $15. TA. 8367.

BICYCLE, girl's, size 26, Western Flyer, excellent condition. $25. AT. 0507.

BICYCLE, girl's, Columbia Sport Tourist; gear shift, basket, leather seat; $40. OR. 4680.

BICYCLE, boy's, size 28, good condition, $27. VI. 9361.

BICYCLES (2), boy's, 24-inch and 26-inch. Cheap! WI. 3793.

BICYCLE, boy's, new, slightly used. $35 cash. Call MI. 9713.

BOOKS, World Book Encyclopedia, 19 vols., new, $120; Childcraft, 18 vols., $25. AX. 3134.

BUILDING QUONSET

Unassembled, unused 40x120, 24 windows, 1-end wall; very reas. DI. 3822.

BUILDING MATERIALS

From wrecked buildings and barracks. Lumber, doors, sashes, complete bathrooms, radiators, pipe, reinforcing steel, soil pipe, Celotex corrugated metal sheets, steel windows, other items. GENERAL WRECKING CO., MI. 6177.

BUILDING MATERIALS

Wrecking building at 1727 H st. nw. Lumber, brick, doors, sashes, trim, shelving, baseboards, cabinets, closets, lighting fixtures, mantels. Salesman at site. GENERAL WRECKING CO., MI. 6177.

CAMERA, automatic Rolleiflex, with case, extras, Weston meter, and tripod, all new. Sacrifice. OR. 8383.

CAMERA—Zeiss Ikon Ideal, 9x12 cm., with Zeiss Tessar lens, f4.5, 3½", f.p.s., 3 s.h., ground glass back and case. RA. 6683.

CAMERA, Kodak Flash Bantam, lens f4.5 with case; purchased new last June for $60, want $50; purchased more expensive camera. DI. 7117, 9 to 5.

CAMERAS—Photo and movie supplies, darkroom equipment; easy terms; trade-ins; year's guarantee. Brenner Co., 933 Penn. ave. nw. ST. 1818.

CAMERA, Rolleiflex f3.5, best condition, in case, $123. WI. 7101.

CAMERA, 8mm. movie, Cinemaster 11, Model G-8; built-in view finder; practically new; $50. OX. 0103.

CHAIR, Cogswell with footstool, specially fine for man $25. TW. 1929.

CHAIR—Upholstered, gray and yellow, Regency style, $20. Call after 11 a. m. Thurs. CH. 17561.

CHILD'S automobile, age 2 to 6; excel. cond.; $17.50 or best offer. HO. 3450.

CHINA, Spode "Antoinette," incomplete set for 4. OV. 1718.

CHRISTMAS gift watches, nationally advertised; 20-25% discount. Colliers, 918 F st. nw., suite 301. ST. 7297.

CLARINET, B flat, wood; excel. cond.; $60. CH. 3000, Ext. 3148.

CLOTHING—Lady's dresses, day and evening; 2 coats, 1 fur trim, size 42, perfect shape. Girl's, size 8. WO. 4304.

CLOTHING—Boy's coat, leggings and hat set, grayish blue, size 6, $10. WA. 6304.

COMPLETE home developing and printing outfit, all new; Eastman portable, enlarger, lens, f.6.3, $70. All inclusive. Call WA. 3560.

COAT, woman's, fitted, black wool, size 20, prac. new; warmly interlined; beautiful quality Persian lamb collar, epaulets and front to waist, $60. GL. 1973.

COAT, black wool interlined, size 12, mink collar; very good condition; $30. UN. 6022.

COWBOY BOOTS, 4½B, like new, $10; fine child's gift. WI. 0790.

DAVENPORT, good cond., pract. new mattress, $20. MI. 0239.

DESK, walnut, executive, 36x60 in.; 1st class cond.; $50. FA. 7930.

DESK, student, mahog; player piano; 9x12 dresden rug. WO. 0559.

DINING ROOM suite, bedroom suite (twin beds). 1854 Mass. ave. se.

DINING ROOM SUITE, solid mahogany, handsomely carved; 14 matching chairs, sideboard, server and table, lovely carved band and apron, 2 leaves, extends to seat up to 20. Price $800, or offer; worth several thousand. OV. 4315.

DINING TABLE, large, walnut veneer; 6 chairs; $65. OW. 6868.

DIAMOND BROOCH, filigree platinum, set with 28 diamonds, will appeal to the discriminating; sac. $400. OL. 1680.

DIAMOND RING, approx. ½ carat, platinum mounting, $125. DE. 3292.

DIAMOND lady's ring, perfect 1¼ ct., value $1360; $975 or best offer. LU. 6285.

DIAMOND engagement ring and wedding band, flahtail design. Cost $500, will sell $200. TR. 2498.

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DINETTE SUITE, practically new, modern, 7 pieces, bleached mahogany; cost $300; $100 if sold immediately. AX. 4452, before 3 p. m.

DINING RM. SET, mahog., table, 6 chairs and buffet, matched and in good condition. TA. 0704.

DINING RM. SET, $30; Hollywood bed, with blue leather head board, $20; 2 end tables, coffee table and bridge lamp; solid rock maple, $20; miscellaneous. UN. 2306.

DINING ROOM TABLE, mahog., fine cond., 3 leaves, $25. CO. 6816.

DINING RM. furn., mahog. table, 6 chairs, china closet; $60. Call after 6, OV. 3881.

DRESS, beautiful black lace, evening and dinner dress, size 36-40; worn once; worth $150, sell $40. OR. 4379.

DRUMS, Leedy, traps, complete; excellent condition; $100. AL. 5792.

EASY SPINNER, jr., like new, $39. New phonograph attachable to radio, $15. 6644 R. I. ave., Riverdale, Md.

ELECTRIC BLANKET—G. E. dble. bed size, prac. new; $30. OR. 8023.

ELEC. ironer, ABC, $70; Hotpoint dryer, $45; both 1st class cond. OW. 9039.

ELECTRIC TRAIN, brand-new, never out of box, will sell at wonderful discount; duplicate order. KE. 5173.

ELECTRIC TRAIN, Lionel, new; extras. Reas. Call NO. 5474 after 8 p. m.

ELECTRIC range, G.E., 3-burner; light, clocks, warmer, etc.; $100. GL. 6985.

ENCYCLOPEDIA BRITANNICA, new, 1948 edition. OR. 6205.

FRENCH DOORS, 1 pair, 6x7; hardware included; ready to hang. TR. 1596.

FUR COATS (2), size 12-14; owner moving Calif.; gray squirrel, $50; muskrat, $75; both full length. OR. 0712.

FUR COAT, black skunk, size 13-14; excellent condition; $25. SH. 6906.

FUR COAT, muskrat, size 16, excellent condition, $175. AT. 0843.

FUR COAT, mouton lamb; cost $250; size 18-20; exc. cond.; $75. SLigo 7483 after 6.

FUR COAT, black Persian, size 38 to 40; exc. cond.; $250 cash. Also brown cloth beaver-trimmed coat, $15. 3500 14th st. nw., Apt. 220, 7:30 to 9 p. m.

FUR COAT, Norwegian, gray fox, ¾ length, size 14; $90. ME. 2977.

FUR COAT, Eastern mink, seldom worn, size 12-14; purchaser must know fur to appreciate; $800. Also silver fox jacket; $75. Phone Tues. or Thurs., 9 to 5:30, EX. 3300, Ext. 616.

FUR COAT, beaver; excel. cond.; ¾ length; very reasonably priced; size 12-14. SU. 8220.

FUR COAT, man's, lined with muskrat, astrakhan collar, black, good condition. Price $200. HO. 8233, MI. 0895.

FUR COAT, gray, Persian lamb, size 16, $123. TW. 1331.

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2433 18th St. N.W.
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GAS RANGE, Detroit Jewel, $60. Bedstead, sgle., Simmons, $7; gas bath heater, $4; oak dresser, $20. WI. 8574.

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KITCHEN RANGE, Magic Chef, $43, good condition. LI. 6047.

LIONEL TRAIN, standard gauge, passenger type, accessories. OW. 7088.

LIONEL ELECTRIC TRAIN, new condition, with extras; cost $80, sell $55 or best offer. OL. 7532.

MATTRESS, double, innerspr., new cond., at sacrifice. RE. 7400, Ext. 62379.

OFFICE DESKS
Used from $19.50 up. Also chairs, tables, files, etc.
H. BAUM & SON, 616 D St. N.W.

OVERCOAT, Army officer's, brand-new, size 40. $30. NO. 7345.

PIANO, Huntington upright, recently overhauled; fine cabinet; $150. WI. 8699.

PIANOS, pre-Christmas sale. Save $100 to $200 on new spinet pianos. Every piano a famous make and fully guaranteed. Budget terms, liberal allowance for any musical instrument or radio. KITT'S, 1330 G st. nw.

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PIANO, Smith & Barnes upright, excellent cond.; dark finish; ideal for student practice; bench to match. Will deliver $100. TOwer 5918.

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PING-PONG TABLE, sturdy, full size, $30, unhinged. EM. 8761.

PING-PONG TABLE, regulation size; good condition; $45. WI. 8123.

PROJECTOR, motor-driven, 16 mm. Moviegraph projector; $20. UN. 4173.

RADIO, Magnavox radio-phono combination with F. M. Regency cabinet, beautiful blond mahog. finish; purchased 8 mos. ago for $585; sell $400. Carries dealer's 1-year guarantee. FA. 1993.

RADIO-PHONOGRAPH, table model, closed top; Intermixtrex 10 and 12 in. records, cuts off automatically; used short time; $90. GL. 7270.

RADIO, portable elec.-batty., used 5 hrs., excel. tone, altr., lightwgt. RE. 6700, ext. 3054.

RADIO-PHONO comb., 9-tube Silvertone, 30 days old. EM. 9003.

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RANGE, table top, 4 burner, oven broiler, 2 extra drawers; good cond. $35 or best offer. CH. 5781.

REFRIGERATOR, Coldspot, good cond., 7 cu. ft.; $50. GL. 5476.

REFRIGERATOR — FRIGIDAIRE, 1948, 6 cu. ft., $120. DU. 2273.

REFRIGERATOR, Frigidaire, never used, $145. Also brand new gas stove, Welbilt, $65, or both for $225. RE. 6700, Ext. 74213, 9-5.

REFRIGERATOR, GE, medium size; excellent condition; $75. FA. 5820.

REFRIGERATOR, 8.3 cu. ft. de luxe, sealed motor, good cond., $150. GL. 6985.

REFRIGERATOR, Servel gas, 8 cu. ft., about 6 yrs. old, $85 or best offer. DE. 8667.

REX Vacuum cleaner with water tank. In good condition. Call between 6 and 7 p. m. RA. 7388.

RUGS, Anglo-Persian, Whittall; (2) 9x12, (1) 27x36 in.; excel. cond.; $200 incl. pads. HO. 6177.

RUG, neutral figured, 9x12, broadloom, onite pad, excel. cond., $30. OL. 3194.

SAXOPHONE, E-flat alto, Conn; practically new, with case; $150 or best offer. OL. 6397.

SAXOPHONE and clarinet, Conn, $125 and $100, cases; excel. cond. TO. 5717.

SAXOPHONE, alto, Buescher Aristocrat, gold lacquer, new, purchased last year for $200; will sell for $115. LU. 4626.

SERVATIUS GALLAEIUS Dissertations on the Sibylline Oracles, published Amsterdam 1668, copper plate illustrations. DU. 3094, WO. 5718; collector's item.

SEWING MACHINES — Singers sale or rent; immediate delivery. Sewing Machine Exchange, 2412 18th st. nw. CO. 3245.

SEWING MACHINES (3), ¾ size portables, Singers, $25 up. We have other copper plate illustrations, also consoles. We electrify, $13.95. We buy old machines. 915 10th st. nw. EX. 6844.

SEWING machine, elec. portable; like new; $75; attachment. RA. 0411.

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SEWING MACHINES

Electric portables, $39.50 up; all guaranteed; easy terms; complete sewing course with each machine. UN. 7300.

SILVER, Sterling, 16 individual ramekins, with linings, $5 each; 1 20-inch Imari plate, $40. OR. 8962.

SKIS (2 pairs), 6' and 7'; excel. cond.; $7 pair; ski boots, as is; like new; $5; elec. train (Marx), $10. SH. 4819.

SKIS, 7 ft., ridge top, steel edges, rable bindings and poles; nearly new; $14. Also 6-ft. set, $12. WI. 4208 after 6.

SOFA, wine (tapestry type), Duncan Phyfe, good cond.; $65. SLigo 6573.

STEAM CLEANER—Heavy duty, Oakite, late model; portable on 2-wheel trailer, compl., ready for indoor or outdoor use, requiring steam up to 150 lbs.; excel. cond. AX. 7951.

STERLING silver coffee and tea service, handmade in Germany; 5-piece, coffee pot, teapot, creamer, sugar bowl and large tray; will sacrifice for $450. Phone GL. 5337 for appointment.

SUITS (2) and Chesterfield coat for short, miss size 14. $25; also blue velveteen dress, $5; skating skirt, $2.50; boy's overcoat and weatherproof jacket, size 10, $7.50. HO. 8768, after 4 p. m. Tues. after 6, Wed., Thurs.

SUIT, lady's, new, tan tropical worsted, size 16; orig. cost $35, sell for $15. AL. 8312.

TEA CART, solid mahog.; separate tray; cost $125, sac. $35. TA. 3414.

TELEVISION, 7-in. picture, complete aerial, big 52 sq. in. blow-up lens, like new. $230. 5030 38th st., Hyattsville, Md., Apt. 5-C, after 5 p. m.

TIRES, factory record.; all sizes; $3.45 ea.; 6 mos. guar.; used truck tires, $9. Wkdys., Sun. till 8 p. m. ALL SERVICE TIRE CO., 3619 Ga. ave. nw. RA. 9850.

TOOLS—$100 assortment new mechanic hand tools, $50. HO. 1962.

TRICYCLE, age 4-6, good condition; reasonable. EM. 8768.

TRICYCLES, small, good cond.; $7 each. TE. 7652.

TRICYCLES (2), good condition; N.E. section; $5 and $6 each. AD. 4574.

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TUXEDO, young man's, size 36, like new, $15; dark suit, same size, $10. CH. 3413

TYPEWRITERS—$25 allowance for your old machine on purchase of new portable. CENTRAL TYPEWRITER CO. 2019 14th St. N.W. MI. 4400.

TRUMPET—Silver Pan-American, with case, mute, music clamp, $40. MI. 9872.

TRUMPET, American Standard, silver, with case; bargain, $35. GE. 2034.

TRUMPET, Conn, model B-22, excellent condition. NO. 1733.

TRUMPET, Martin, committee; case; never used; bought in '41. OV. 2786.

TUXEDO, double-breasted, practically new, size 38 long. $25. WI. 4733.

TUX., 37, excel. cond., $20; also 2 shirts, 15x33. OV. 4547.

TYPEWRITER, portable, Smith-Corona, perf. cond., $50. WI. 0660.

TYPEWRITER, Smith-Corona, sterling portable, like new; reasonable. OR. 8825.

TYPEWRITERS, portable, all makes, new and used. Repairs at reasonable prices. OFFICE MACHINES CO., 913 15th st., near Eye. RE. 2828.

TYPEWRITERS — Corona portable, $27.50; Royal standard, $39.50; Royal portable, like new, $49.50 with carrying case; new Remington portable at discount; many others cash or credit. See at 1309 14th st. nw.

VACUUM, Hoover, attachments; excel. cond.; $25. 3335 Military rd. nw. WO. 4659.

VACUUM CLEANER, Premier, upright, $15. CO. 8556.

VIOLIN, case, bow and rosin, in excellent condition. VI. 2756.

VIOLIN, $100 for quick sale; also ¼ size, $10. WA. 3971.

WASHER, Kenmore, new cond.; used 9 months; $75. EM. 8315.

WASHING MACHINE, G. E., good condition, $35. WO. 3545.

WASHING machine, Easy Spin Dryer, apt. size; perf. cond.; $25. SLigo 6573.

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ANYTHING AND EVERYTHING bought in household furnishings and furniture. Phone DI. 6236 or LI. 0823.

AM INTERESTED in buying silverware, any condition, jewelry, bric-a-brac, china. DORA KRUPSAW MILESTONE. 1335 G St. N.W. ST. 7496.

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BICYCLE, 26-in., girl's; must be good cond.; reasonable. OW. 7196.

CAMERA—Leica Contax or other 35-mm. type, with or without access., urgently wanted. RE. 2434, Mr. Weiss, 10-6 p.m.

FURNITURE WANTED AT ONCE—Better grade furniture and household effects. Will buy odd pieces or entire home. Please call Mr. Gray, NA. 2679. 918 New York ave. nw.

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Motorcycles 86

JAMES 1947—Perfect condition. $275. CH. 7255.

Automobile Loans 90

AUTO LOANS—Cars, trucks, taxis, up to $2500. Most reasonable rates. ECONOMY FINANCE CO. 1430 Florida Ave. N.E. AT. 8484.

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Trucks, Sale 93

TRUCK, 1½-ton GMC, stake body; good running condition; $275. FA. 0496.

Automobiles, Sale 96

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CHEVROLET—1938 4-door trunk sedan, heater; passed D. C. inspection; clean, fine mechanical condition; will finance, $150 down; total price $435. RE. 5867, 801 H st. nw.

CHEVROLET—1948, 25 miles, 2 tone, undercoat heater, must sell, $1675 or best offer. GE. 2563.

CHEVROLET—1941 Deluxe 2-door; radio and heater, seat covers, excellent cond. $900. AX. 6431.

CHEVROLET—1947 Stylemaster 2-dr.; r. and h.; orig. owner; good condition; $1,425 cash. LU. 5477.

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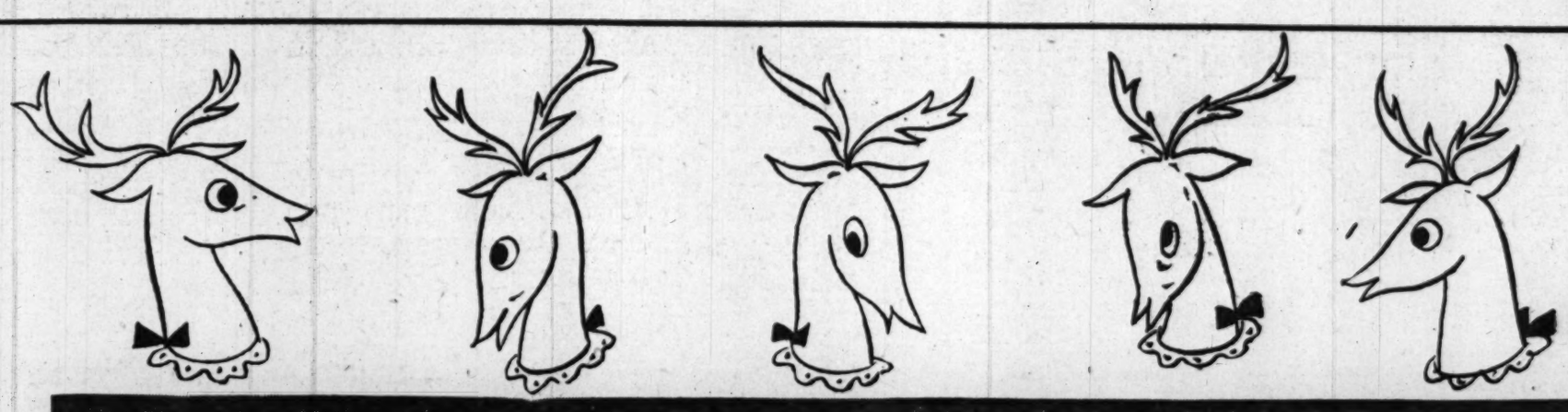

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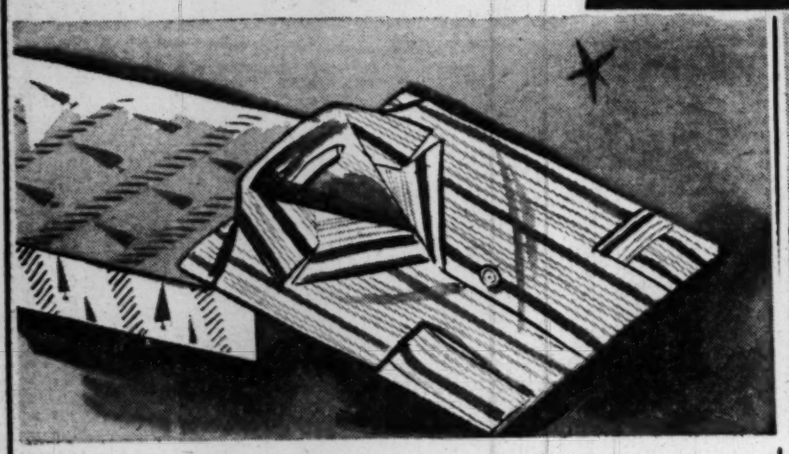

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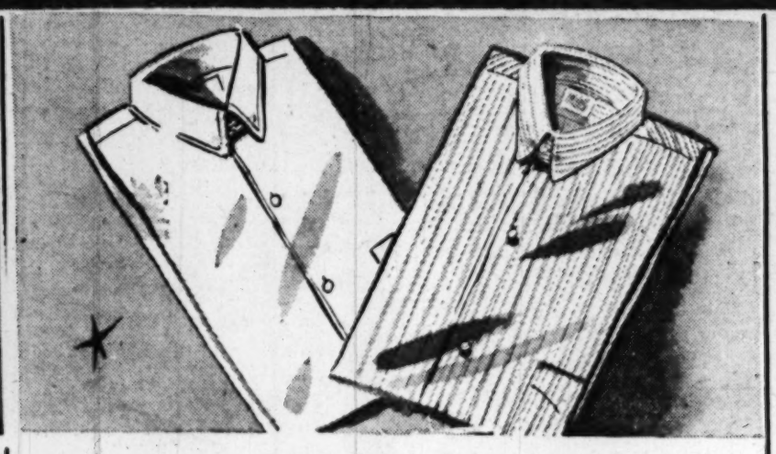

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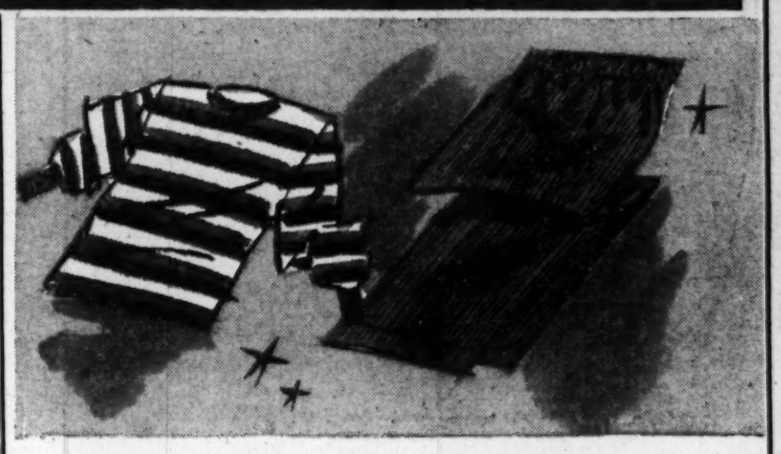

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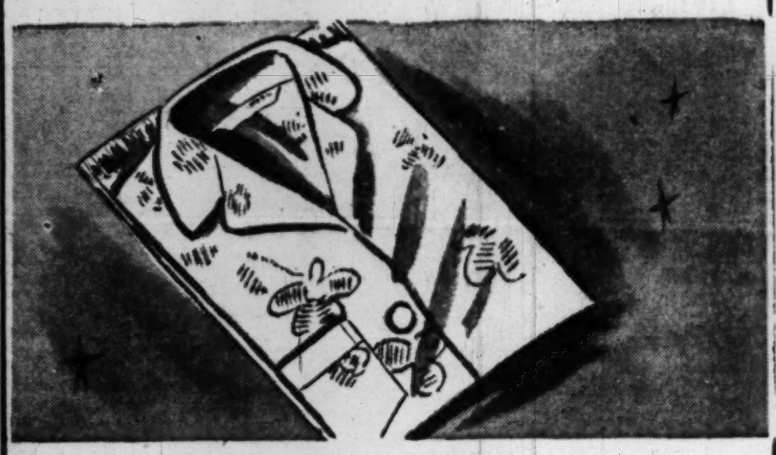

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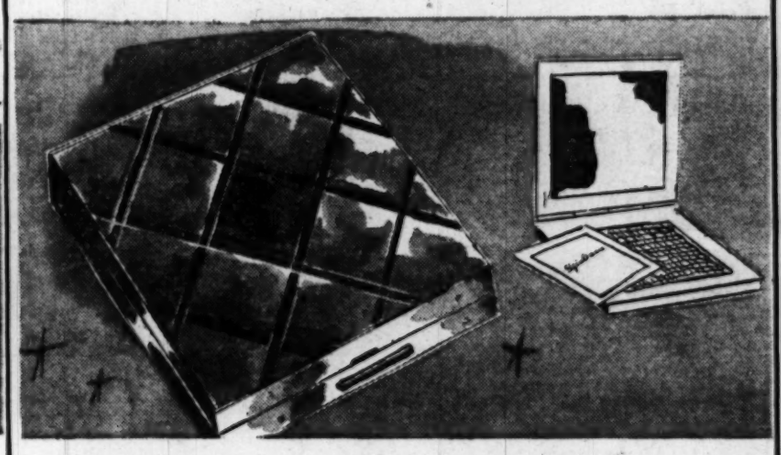

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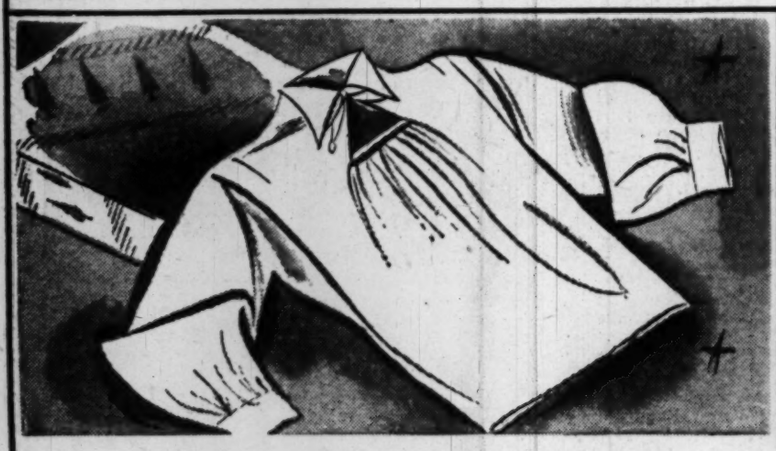

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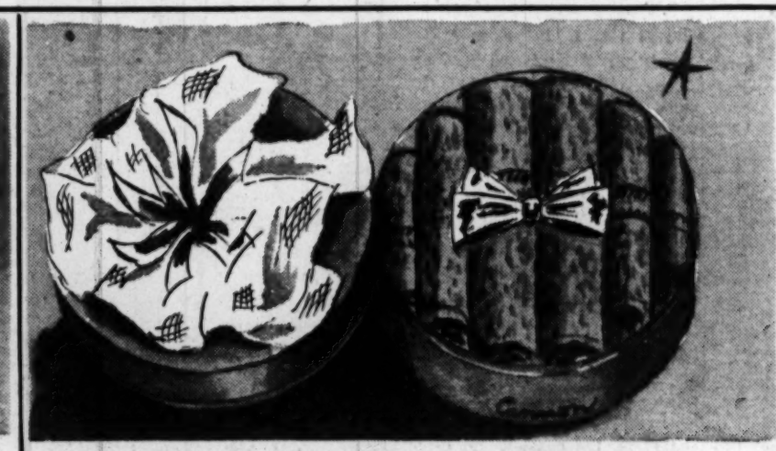

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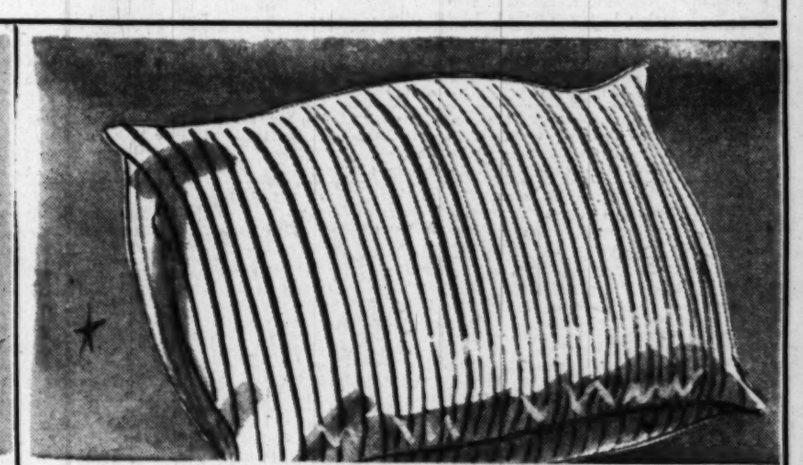

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Tried and True, By the Taste of Time

Fix Festive Foods of Forefathers For Fare Fit for a Fine Family Feast

By Lucia Brown

CHRISTMAS is one season when everybody goes traditional, enjoying to the fullest the well-loved customs and carols that have been favorites since time immemorial.

Yuletide food is no exception to this heart-warming rule. True, we don't hark all the way back to medieval days, when roast peacock and boar's head were de luxe Christmas fare. But we do have many a dish on our holiday tables that has been a mouth-watering part of the Christmas scene for centuries.

Mince pie, for example, was mentioned by Ben Jonson in his "Christmas Masque" way back in the early 1600s. A certain Mrs. Frazer gave a recipe for "plumb-pudding" in her "cookery book" in 1791. And the turkey flapped his way into the Yuletide picture soon after the first settlers struck roots in the New World.

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TODAY WE OFFER a trio of Christmas menus that includes most of the old-fashioned favorites, as well as a few innovations. There's one featuring turkey (or chicken if you prefer), one featuring goose, one with ham and a few recipes that will come in handy, we hope, in last-minute plans for your Christmas meal.

Cranberry Cocktail With Lime Sherbet
Roast Turkey — Brazil Nut Stuffing
Celery — Olives
Whipped Potatoes — Broccoli Yuletide
Combination Salad — Hot Rolls
Mincemeat Tarts with Whipped Cream
Coffee — Mints — Nuts

THE CRANBERRY APPETIZER is easily made by putting a scoopful of lime sherbert in a small glass of canned cranberry cocktail. It gives an attractive color note for starting off the meal.

BRAZIL NUT STUFFING

- 6 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 4 tablespoons finely chopped onion
- 1 cup finely diced celery
- 2 cups finely chopped Brazil nuts
- 8 cups stale bread cubes
- 2 teaspoons salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- 1 teaspoon poultry seasoning

HEAT BUTTER in large skillet. Add onion, celery and nuts, and cook over low heat until onion is soft. Add bread cubes and seasonings. Stir until thoroughly mixed. This makes a dry, crumbly stuffing; if a moist stuffing is desired, add 2/3 cup water. Pack the bird lightly, as stuffing expands during the baking period. This makes enough stuffing for a 10 to 12-pound turkey.

BROCCOLI YULETIDE

- 1 bunch broccoli
- 4 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 clove garlic
- 1 small jar green olives
- 1 (8-oz.) can tomato sauce
- Salt and pepper
- Grated Parmesan cheese

CUT, TRIM AND WASH BROCCOLI thoroughly. Cook until almost tender (10 to 15 minutes). Drain. Brown garlic in olive oil slightly. Add halved and pitted olives and cook until partly brown. Lay broccoli in pan and cook covered, over a low flame, for 15 minutes. Stir several times very carefully so as not to break the broccoli. Place in serving dish. Pour heated tomato sauce over broccoli and sprinkle with cheese. This recipe serves 4 to 6 persons.

Chicken Bouillon
Baked Ham
Asparagus Spears Noel — Sherried Sweet Potatoes
Celery Curls — Radish Roses
Watermelon Pickle — Hot Biscuit
Snowball Salad
Plum Pudding — Hard Sauce
Coffee — Milk

ASPARAGUS SPEARS NOEL

- 2 boxes (10-oz.) frozen asparagus spears
- 4 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 2 cups milk
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 4 tablespoons flour
- 8 thin strips pimento

MAKE WHITE SAUCE by combining butter and flour in double boiler and adding milk. Add salt and Worcestershire sauce. Add asparagus spears to 2 cups briskly boiling salted water. Bring water back to boiling point as soon as possible. Reduce heat and cook gently 8 to 10 minutes or until tender. Arrange on warm platter in individual servings—three or four spears to a serving. Pour sauce over center of spears and garnish with thinly cut pimento strips. This recipe serves 8.

SHERRIED SWEET POTATOES

- 8 medium sweet potatoes
- 4 tablespoons cream

See BROWN, Page 2C, Column 1.

Harris and Ewing photo. Table Setting by Woodward and Lothrop.

DECK the board with boughs of holly, a forest-green cloth and fine white china to make a beautiful background for your Christmas turkey and other good things. In the setting above, the white, wrought-iron epergne holds white-edged holly and brightly colored fruits. The china is Lenox's "Rutledge," a new pattern with a design in "Christmassy" colors. The silverware is Towle's "Old Colonial" and the etched glassware is Hawke's "Arden" pattern

Ask Anne

How to Pack Evening Slippers

I have a pair of satin evening slippers that I especially want to wear for my wedding, which will not occur for about a year and a half. How should I pack them away to keep them safe from yellowing and from silverfish? E. K.

Wrap the shoes in dark blue tissue (obtainable at a paper supply house on Pennsylvania ave., which can be reached by calling National 2945). Wrap the tissue-wrapped shoes in cellophane or some other moisture-proof paper and place them in a box which has a tight-fitting lid. Sprinkle napthalene flakes over them, using one half to three fourths of a cup of the flakes in the box. Store the box where it will be dry and not subjected to extremes of temperature.

How is citron candied for use in fruit cake, etc.? E. F. L.

Cut citron in slices and cover with cold water. Bring to a boil and drain. Repeat three times and as many more as is necessary to extract the bitterness. For each pound of citron, make a syrup as follows: 1¼ cups sugar, 1 tablespoon corn syrup, 1¼ cups water and 1 lemon, thinly sliced. Add citron and cook until it is clear. Then drain on a rack and allow to dry. The pieces should be clear and tender.

My silver pattern is "Prelude" and as I am interested in purchasing china and crystal, I would appreciate it very much if you would give me your opinion as to the kind of china and crystal I should buy that would be correct for the silverware that I have. J. B.

Since your pattern does not represent any particular period, it can be used with any style or design of crystal and china which you might choose. I am advised by the silverware buyer at a large jewelry store that the pattern can even be used correctly with dishes which are modern in design.

We have recently had installed one of the new automatic dishwashers, and to date haven't been successful in having one load of dishes washed satisfactorily. I use the type of detergent recommended, have the water hot, and stack them according to the instruction book, I think. The dishes still are

See ASK ANNE, Page 2C, Col. 2.

Yuletide Ideas

For holiday gaiety top your fruit cup with "jewels" of mint jelly and currant jelly. You'll have the traditional Christmas colors and an added flavor treat.

For the holiday cheese tray, be sure to include a dish of jelly. Currant jelly is perfect with cream cheese. Crabapple jelly is a connoisseur's favorite with Gorgonzola cheese.

Each year with the coming of cold weather, mince meat pie reappears on American tables. Some homemakers prefer a ready-mixed mince meat and others have favorite recipes of their own. In either case, here's a simple trick that will give your mince meat a rich, fruity flavor.

Cook the mince meat in the usual way. About 15 minutes before it's ready to remove from the stove add half a glass of currant or apple jelly. Or use cherry or blackberry jam if you prefer. Try different flavors of jam or jelly on different occasions till you find the one you like best.

Mary Haworth's Mail

Girl, 18, Feels Soulsick, Shrinks From Her Family's Fondness, Since Transient Beau on Double Date Tried to Pet, Never Called Again

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: A few weeks ago my girl friend Sally and I went out with two college boys, fellow students of hers. We had lots of fun and the evening was perfect until, en route home, Sally's beau, who was driving the car, parked by the roadside.

I was angry and scared, although Sally appeared not to mind, and in fact seemed interested. When I told Mike, my "date," that I wanted to go home, he just laughed and started to kiss me. I didn't respond and kept pushing him away, hoping he would take the hint, but he didn't.

Each time I mentioned getting home he just laughed and acted as if I didn't know my own mind. But I am 18 and act and feel older, and have always made my own decisions, as my mother thinks a girl should be independent. However, I didn't know what to do about Mike, because boys had always respected my wishes before.

Magazine Article Adds to Anxiety

LATER, as we neared home, Mike asked for my telephone number and whether he might see me again. I said "Yes" and naturally expected he would call. He hasn't, and after waiting two weeks I

See HAWORTH, Page 2C, Col. 5.

Holiday Decorations

Colorful home decorations can add to the spirit of Christmas and you would be surprised at how easily you can utilize mirrors, picture frames, lamps and even candlesticks to carry the holiday theme. Borders of ribbon on frames and mirrors are extremely attractive, and bright miniature bows tied around lamp bases or fastened to shades with scotch tape will glow as warmly as holiday moods.

Little touches for holiday decoration can make interesting effects. Try making ribbon bells out of sewing spools covered with white or green satin ribbon skirts—bell fashion—and hang them from strategic spots with red or white narrow ribbon bows.

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BROWN—From Page 1

Christmas Dinner Suggestions

2 tablespoons butter
Salt and pepper
4 tablespoons sugar
6 tablespoons sherry

BOIL SWEET POTATOES until tender. Peel and mash. Add remaining ingredients and beat until fluffy. Place in buttered baking dish and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 15 minutes or until slightly brown. This recipe serves 8. chopped nuts can be added to the mixture if desired.

SNOWBALL SALAD

6 medium-sized apples
2 cups sugar
1¾ cups water
Endive
1 package red cinnamon candies
1 package coconut
1 package Philadelphia cream cheese
1 small can crushed pineapple
Thinly sliced Brazil nuts

MAKE A SYRUP of sugar, water and cinnamon candies. Carefully peel and core apples and drop into syrup and simmer until transparent, but still retaining their shape Carefully lift out of syrup and set aside to cool. After apples have been cooked, let syrup continue to boil until quite heavy and thick. Cool.

When both apples and syrup are cool, carefully dip apples into syrup again, then lift out and place on bed of endive. Fill center hollow in apple with mixture of cream cheese, crushed pineapple and Brazil nuts. Then sprinkle outside of apple liberally with coconut.

Apples are prettier if syrup is quite pink. If cinnamon drops do not color syrup sufficiently, add a few drops of red coloring.

Crabmeat Cocktail
Roast Goose Sage-Onion Dressing
Frozen Spiced Applesauce
Whipped Potatoes Creamed Carrots
Toasted French Rolls
Celery Stuffed Olives
Ambrosia Fruit Cake
Mints Nuts Coffee

ROAST GOOSE

REMOVE PINFEATHERS with tweezers. Singe goose to remove fine down from skin. cut off neck close to body, but leave enough skin to permit sewing to close the neck opening after stuffing. Wash the bird carefully in cold water and rub liberally with salt.

Place cleaned bird breast up on a pan and put into oven regulated at about 350 degrees F. Puncturing the skin with a fork or some other pointed instrument will encourage a freer escape of fat, which is desirable. When fat ceases dripping freely the bird is taken out of the oven and prepared for stuffing. After stuffing, sew or skewer up the neck and body cavities and return to oven. While roasting, many cooks baste the goose with orange or prune juice.

A 12-pound goose should be ready for serving in about 3 hours. Attractive way to serve it is on a bed of watercress, with raw cranberries dotted around on the green cress.

SAGE-ONION STUFFING

2 cups hot water or stock
6 cups stale bread crumbs
2 eggs, beaten
1 teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon pepper
½ teaspoon nutmeg
4 teaspoons sage
2 teaspoons poultry seasoning
4 medium-sized onions, chopped
½ cup savory fat
½ cup chopped celery tops
¼ cup chopped parsley
½ cup raisins

POUR HOT WATER over bread crumbs; add eggs and seasonings. Saute onions in fat until lightly browned, stirring constantly. Add celery tops, parsley and raisins and mix thoroughly with seasoned crumbs. Pack stuffing loosely in cavity.

FROZEN SPICED APPLESAUCE

Season applesauce well with cinnamon and mace and sweeten with brown sugar. A bit of grated lemon rind also adds to the flavor. Put in refrigerator tray and freeze, stirring occasionally. Serve in sherbet glasses or small bowls beside each place, along with the goose.

Wedding Bells Ring

Gloeau

Mrs. Francis Keith Kelly was married yesterday at noon in the rectory of the Church of the Nativity. The bride is the former Miss Barbara Lindsey Dilli, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reginadl Collins Dilli of Washington. Mr. Kelly is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin F. Kelly of Fort Wayne, Ind. The newlyweds will spend their honeymoon in Montreal, Canada and then reside in this city

Gloeau

Mrs. Fred James Eden, jr., was Miss Jean Wagner before her wedding on December 18 in Westgate, Md. The ceremony took place at Pilgrim Lutheran Church. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Louis Wagner of Dayton, Ohio. Mr. Eden is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred James Eden of Washington. William Wagner gave his sister in marriage. Her gown was of blush pink satin and she carried a white orchid with her prayer book. The newlyweds will live in Washington
—add wedding Thurs soc

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Mary Haworth's Mail

began to feel, guiltily, that I had lost my self-respect and reputation in that one evening.

About the same time I read a magazine article on petting, in which the author lists kissing as one form of it, and I had always thought that petting was a different type of fondling. Now I feel sick, mentally and physically; and more so if my mother or father smiles at me. Or if any of our family touches me or tries to kiss me, I turn away.

Mother senses that something is wrong, but says nothing, and I can't explain to her, as she is old-fashioned in some ways. Should I have this guilty fear that I've lost my self-respect; or should I forget Mike and chalk the incident up to experience? I don't expect to hear from him again, and if I did, I couldn't face him. I want to get back to normalcy, so please help me as soon as possible. L. B.

Girl's Not Guilty of Wrong Behavior

DEAR L. B.: Your guilty reaction to the episode is wholly subjective; which is to say, there is no "real" foundation for your sick shame about it.

Mike, Dick and Sally have cause to blush for their tasteless performance, which puts them on a par with courting monkeys in a zoo, willing to fondle in public view, but you behaved quite admirably—firstly, in asking Mike to second your plea to get along home; secondly, in passively (not hysterically) resisting his overtures; and finally, in indicating willingness to skip Mike's faux pas and be friends with him, when he asked if he might see you again.

Mike's behavior was pretty callow and mostly aimed at Sally and Dick (as a sop to his dashed conceit) after the trio got the point that you aren't the petter-type. He may be accustomed to some success in parked-car play on blind dates, hence isn't prepared to deal gracefully with rejection; and in any event, his terminal flourish of getting your consent to another date, then standing you up, reflects mixed motives, none of which are to your discredit.

Man's 'Indifference' Left-Handed Compliment

OBVIOUSLY Mike is a shallow sort, mentally and emotionally immature; and he felt face-saving need to advertise to his pal Dick that his lack of success on this evening meant you were stuffy, not that you found him repellent. Also he wanted assurance of this himself, and got it (so he thought) when you said yes, you'd see him again.

However, your previous restraint and proper protest of "parking to pet" had already signified, implicitly but decisively, that you aren't to be taken lightly; that a code of honor governs your date behavior; and for the present, at least, he wants favors of girls that you don't grant. So your telephone number is being passed over; and that's a left-handed compliment to your from Mike, my dear.

Basically I think your shame has to do with the fact that you felt strongly attracted to him (as you think he sensed), and that he didn't respond on your terms. In brief, you're mortified that the kisses he stole and the stand you took didn't incite him to fall in love; and because of your acute integrity and this jolt to self confidence, you feel scarlet in retrospect for letting him kiss without slapping his face. But cheer up, child; in Mike's repertoire you're still pure as the driven snow. M. H.

Dried Peach Dessert

Here's a new way to prepare dried peaches for a dessert. Simmer them as usual, allowing 1½ quarts water per pound of fruit. Lift the peaches from the cooking liquid after five minutes' time, remove their skins and continue cooking until they are tender. Then add half a cup of port wine, cover them closely and let stand several hours before serving.

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Ask Anne

greasy, spotted, and very unsatisfactory for use. Can you suggest where I can find out what's wrong? The dealer says he hasn't the personnel to send out for a demonstration and that all the instructions are in the folder that came with it. E. H. C.

If you will call the Home Service Department of the Virginia Electric & Power Co. (Alexandria 0193) and tell them your dishwasher difficulties, they will be able to help you. The members of the Home Service Staff are especially trained in the operation of electrical equipment and will come to your home to help you if necessary.

I would like to buy a Xmas gift for a Nun and I don't know what would be appropriate. I thought of handkerchiefs but don't know whether to get men's size or ladies'. Any suggestions you have would be greatly appreciated. C. T.

Sisters use the plain white men's-size handkerchiefs. It has been suggested that they enjoy receiving vases of flowers, potted plants, or candy.

Tea Drinking 'Way Up

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Put It In A Box, Tie It Up With Ribbon . . .

And Place It Underneath the Tree

By Sonia Stein

LAVISH as much care on the wrapping of your gifts as you do in the choosing of them. If you don't think enough of the gift to "dress it up" how can you expect the recipient to value it? Besides, it's such fun to wrap 'em!

WHEN you look at gift packages these days—those glistening, glowing monuments to the imagination—it's hard to remember that only 20 years ago Christmas packages were almost inevitably wrapped in red, white or green tissue and tied with tinsel cord.

The idea of using gay prints for Christmas gift wrappings is said to have started when a New York importer of envelope linings found himself with a delayed shipment on hand just before Christmas. It was too late to put them into envelopes for the Christmas sales, so he sold them as wrapping paper.

Whoever started it, it's a wonderful idea.

THE EXPERTS SAY it's easy to make pretty packages if you start with the right materials and work on a large flat surface. You will need long scissors, transparent tape, paste and the paper and ribbons you plan to use. Colorful seals are also very useful. And if you have irregularly shaped gifts with no boxes, have some corrugated cardboard ready to make a firm wrapping surface. Patience is also recommended.

Or cover an old shoe box with colored paper for your boxless items.

TIE THE DOG where he can't get at the wonders you are going to create, and gather the family around to provide you with the extra hand you think you need when you tie packages—and to admire your handiwork.

Cut your wrapping paper to proper size. Allow about a 2-inch overlap, but don't use an excess of paper. Too much paper makes a sloppy package. The sides should be neatly mitered and sealed with paste, tape or fancy seals.

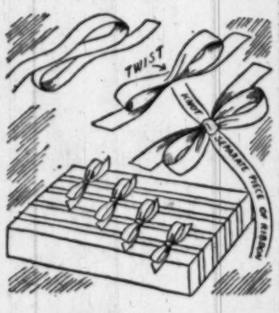
The patterns you use will depend on the size and contents of your package. Large patterns are suitable for large packages, small ones for small. The pale pink paper with the little cherubs on it is better for a box of lingerie than it is for a man's fishing boots. (Fur coats and diamond bracelets are considered acceptable with no wrapping.)

WHEN you have your boxes wrapped and sealed properly, you can put them to one side while you work out the decoration. Using the ribbon to hold the paper on the box is courting disaster. Have the paper securely fastened before you even touch the ribbon.

If the paper is dark, choose a light or metallic ribbon. Light paper takes dark ribbon most effectively. The ribbon can be made to crisscross in the center of the package, but that's so old fashioned! Have the ribbon band the box three quarters of the way across and down, so that it ties near the corner. Or have the ribbon go diagonally across the corners. Use very narrow ribbon and band your box with pairs of ribbon like railroad tracks.

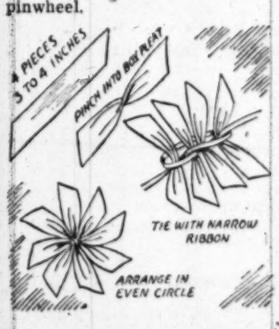
FOR THE WHIZGIG, the dingwhatsis, the froufrou on top, you can use fancy bows, pompons made from cellophane straws, little sleigh bells, candy canes, yarn tassels, or clusters of colored balls. Or why not fasten a tiny bottle of perfume to the package—let's say, a bottle of "Shocking" on the box with the transparent nightie in it?

If you choose to use bows, here's how to make them: First of all, be sure to make them independently and then attach them to the ribbon on the box with wire or with the two tails of the ribbon. Making a bow out of the same length of ribbon with which you tie the package isn't practical. (And as for tying a bow with the ribbon you use to hold the paper on the box! Just forget the whole thing and use string. You're not even trying.)

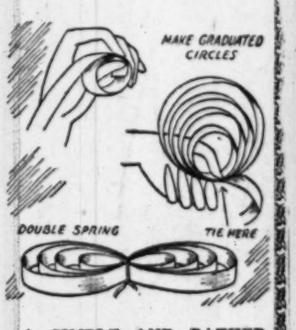


A SIMPLE BOW is made by "ribboning" a piece of ribbon—that is, make two loops the way they are made in ribbon candy. Twist once in the center to bring both loops on top and tie the twist in place with a separate piece of ribbon, which is long enough to make a double knot and to be used to tie the bow onto the package. A group of these tiny bows can be very effective scattered on a package.

A PINWHEEL TYPE OF BOW, best made with crisp ribbon, can be created easily. Cut four pieces of half-inch ribbon 3 inches long. Clip the ends diagonally, parallel to each other. Pleat each one lengthwise in the center and pinch them together, without crisscrossing. Tie tightly with another length of ribbon which will also be used to attach the finished pin wheel to the box. Arrange the ends until they spread around in a circle. If you make the ends rounded instead of snipping diagonally, you get a flower instead of a pinwheel.



Ribbon may be curled by running it between your thumb and the dull edge of a knife. Tie a bundle of ribbon strips to the box and run the knife along each strand. Keep one thumb on the center knot to keep the strips from pulling out while you are working. The more the pressure the tighter the curls. Some kinds of paper tape curl very well.



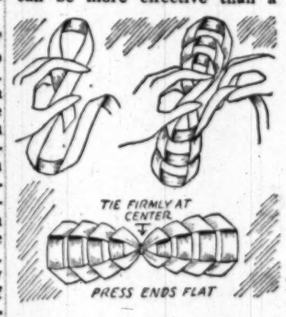
A SIMPLE AND RATHER masculine looking bow is created by looping ribbon around four or five times, with each circle bigger than the last. Make a pair of these and tie them together like a pair of butterfly's wings. The spring bow can be made to lay flat on the box or to stand up like a butterfly.

A LONG FORMAL BOW is easy to do. Make a long figure eight starting in the center, and then make three or four more with the same length of ribbon, having each one a bit smaller than the one before it. Tie all loops securely where they cross in the center and attach to the package.

This bow is simple but it must be carefully made. The smallest "8" must be exactly as much smaller than the "8" before it, as the "8" before it was than the "8" before it!

Experiment with odd bits of ribbon if you aren't sure of what you are doing, because ribbons lose their freshness when handled.

A lavishly made simple bow can be more effective than a



complicated one made by a miser.

SMART packages can be made with seals instead of ribbon. Midnight blue paper sprinkled with silver stars is very dramatic. Gold wreaths on green paper are handsome.

When you have your biggest box all covered with perfect pinwheels and pompons, and then discover that you forgot to put the present inside, the best thing to do is . . . er . . . well. The best thing to do is blame it on somebody else and make him wrap it.

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The Family Scrapbook

By Dr. Ernest G. Osborne
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What Is Underweight?

In the old days we had height-weight charts that told exactly what a youngster a certain number of inches tall should weigh. Many a parent was upset because his child fell short of the figure on the chart or tipped the scales at a higher one.

Today, health educators and doctors have developed a more flexible idea as to the whole business of height and weight. They have found what we might have known if we had stopped to think—that there are different types of body build among children. Some youngsters inherit a stocky frame and for their height and age will weigh a good bit more than a wiry built youngster of the same height and age. Yet the latter is in no sense underweight even though he weighs much less than his chunky friend.

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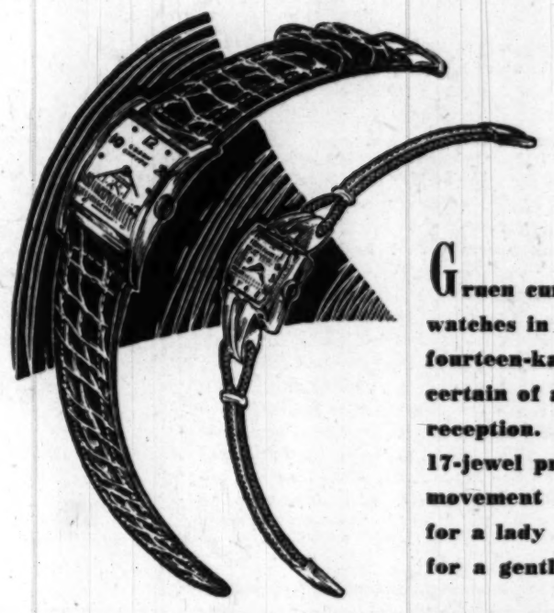

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Miss Rowe Is Presented To Society

MAKING HER bow to society yesterday at a tea at the 1925 F Street Club was Miss Edythe Rowe, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Dugan, wife of Captain Dugan, USN. The debutante greeted her friends in a white and silver brocade gown made with hoop skirt and dropped shoulder neckline. She carried a cluster of orchids shaded from white to crimson tipped.

Mrs. Dugan's gown was of exquisite real lace in ecru tone and fashioned with long sleeves and straight skirt. She wore peach-colored flowers pinned to her shoulder.

Presiding in turn at the candle-lit tea table were Mrs. Arthur MacArthur, Mrs. Charles H. Maddox, Mrs. Randolph Huntington Miner, Mrs. George Maurice Morris, Mrs. Charles Combs, Mrs. William H. Watson, Mrs. Walter Tuckerman and her sister, the Countess de Castellane, here from New York.

Here for the party are Mrs. Dugan's daughter, Mrs. George Fleming of Baltimore; John Scott Biddle of Philadelphia, Mrs. Irvine McGowan of Coronado, Calif.; George Bryson, Miss Mary Jane Stallworth of Richmond, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dugan, Cumberland Dugan and Miss Mary Colle Dugan, all of Baltimore.

Captain and Mrs. Dugan entertained the out-of-town guests at dinner at the Army and Navy Club following the tea, and Miss Rowe attended Miss Evelyn Harman's debut dinner dance, and later the ball given by Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Saul for their debutante daughter, Ruth.

Miss Harrell Entertains For '47, '48 Debutantes

MISS BETTY JEANNE HARRELL, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph T. Harrell, entertained the debutantes of this season and last at luncheon yesterday in the Palladian Room at the Shoreham Hotel.

Miss Harrell selected the date because it was her debut day last year, the party also held at the Shoreham.

Decorations on the luncheon table were in the South American theme, with dolls and flags of the different countries Mrs. Harrell and her daughter visited on their recent trip.

Miss Jean Larkin, John F. Nieman to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Larkin announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean, to John F. Nieman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Nieman of Long Island, N. Y. The wedding will take place in the early spring.

Davidsons Are Hosts

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Howard C. Davidson will have with them for the holidays, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Davidson, and their young son, Jefferson, who will arrive today from Boston.

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MRS. ERIC FLEISHER, *the former Miss Elizabeth Fredrickson of Malmo, Sweden, was married yesterday at St. James Protestant Episcopal Church in New York City. The bride's wedding costume of white brocade satin was set off by a traditional Swedish bridal coronet. Her veil of illusion extended to the train, and she carried a corsage of white orchids with a white prayer book. Mr. Fleisher is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Fleisher of Washington. During the war he served as a first lieutenant at General MacArthur's headquarters in Tokyo. The couple will make their home in Washington at 1717 20th st. nw.*

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MISS RUTH SAUL
. . . introduced at dance

Miss Ruth Saul Makes Debut at Sulgrave Club

MISS RUTH SAUL made her bow to society last evening at a dance given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Saul, at the Sulgrave Club.

The brown-haired, blue-eyed debutante received her guests in a gown of ivory white maline. Her dress had short sleeves and a very full skirt of several layers of maline, the top layer caught in front by cartwheels of the same material. Her bouquet was an old-fashioned nosegay of red roses and other blossoms of blue and white.

Mrs. Saul was costumed in an off-the-shoulder gown of red velvet with a white orchid pinned at her waist.

The young people danced to the music of Sidney's Orchestra until 12:30 when a buffet supper was served. Then thy danced on into the morning.

Among the guests, most of whom were the debutante's young friends, were Miss Patricia Farrelly of Bernardsville, N. J., and Miss Diane Oreamuno of New York. A few close friends of her parents also were invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Hare Powel entertained at a dinner before Miss Saul's debut dance. And so did Mr. and Mrs. William North Sturtevant, Mr. and Mrs. Crosby N. Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. John William Herron.

Ferrises Hosts At Eggnog Fete

Top diplomats and Navy officials were among the guests at the party given yesterday by Capt. and Mrs. Floyd Ferris. Over 100 friends dropped by after 6 at the apartment of the host and hostess in the Wardman Park Hotel. It was the annual eggnog party which Captain and Mrs. Ferris have given for the last several years.

The Ambassador of New Zealand and Lady Berendsen were there as well as the Ambassador of Italy and Signora Tarchiani and the Ambassador of Turkey and Mme. Erkin. Also in the gathering were Admiral and Mrs. Louis Denfeld, Admiral Sir Frederick and Lady Dalrymple-Hamilton, Sir Alwyn and Lady Crowe, Vice Admiral and Mrs. Arthur Dewey Struble, Vice Admiral and Mrs. Robert B. Carney, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Thomas B. Inglis, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Attila Ache, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. C. C. J. Forslev and Capt. and Mrs. Otto de Croneborg.

Still others were Brigadier and Mrs. D. Chaudhuri of the Indian Embassy, Dr. and Mrs. Hill Carter, Rear Admiral and Mrs. John Roper, Miss Ruth Tarrant, Admiral and Mrs. R. L. Dennison, Rear Admiral and Mrs. E. . . Foy, Count and Countess Du Monceau de Bergendal, Capt. and Mrs. H. A. Yeager, Comdr. and Mrs. Y. Y. Liu, and Mr. and Mrs. Melih Esenbel of the Turkish Embassy.

Wallace to Be Feted At Open House By Progressive Party

Henry A. Wallace, Progressive Party candidate for the Presidency, and Mrs. Wallace will be honor guests at an open house reception on Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Clark Foreman, 1620 22nd st.

Hosts will be Progressive Party committeemen and committeewomen, including Dr. Foreman, chairman of the District of Columbia committee; Mrs. Clifford Durr, committeewoman of Virginia; Dr. Joseph L. Johnson and Mrs. Mark P. Hyde, members of the District committee.

Gen., Mrs. Christmas Have Holiday Guests

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. John K. Christmas have with them for the holidays their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Brewster of Plymouth, Mass. General and Mrs. Christmas will entertain at an eggnog party at their home in Colony Hill on December 26 for a group of young friends of the Brewsters.

Mr. and Mrs. Brewster were married in Washington in June, 1945, shortly after Mr. Brewster—then a lieutenant colonel—returned from service in China.

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MISS EVELYN HARMAN
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Miss Evelyn Harman Bows At Chevy Chase Club Dance

MISS EVELYN HARMAN made her bow to society last evening at a dinner dance given by her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Harman, jr. The party was given in the large dining room of the Chevy Chase Club. Sidney's Orchestra furnished the music, and red and green Christmas decorations brightened the room.

A strolling guitarist played in the card room, where guests gathered first for cocktails. The pretty debutante was presented there by her uncle and aunt and her mother, Mrs. Everett M. Harman.

Her gown of cream satin was made with a tight bodice and bouffant tulle skirt, and her flowers were an old-fashioned bouquet of rose colored carnations and acacia and heather.

Mrs. Everett Harman wore a black crepe dress trimmed in gold sequins and topped with orchids, and Mrs. Frank Harman was in gray crepe, pinned with green clips and orchid corsage. Col. and Mrs. R. C. Birmingham of Scranton, Pa., uncle and aunt of the debutante, were among those at the party.

After dining and dancing at the Chevy Chase Club, Miss Harman's guests went on to Miss Saul's debut dance at the Sulgrave Club.

Daughter to Spores

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Spore announce the birth of a daughter, Melissa Ann, on December 1 at Columbia Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Spore's other children are Stuart and Sally.

Pretty As a Picture

Most Makeup Not Material, Material Makes Up Most Of Milady's Video Vision

By Mary Van Rensselaer Thayer

NOW that Federal Communications Commissioner Frieda Hennock estimates two million sets in our midst by 1950, television, for good or worse, seems to be permanently with us. So, ladies, it's a good idea to be prepared. In hopeful anticipation of sudden cash intake via television, this department contacted chic Mrs. A. Peter Dewey, and gratis passes on picked-up pointers. Mrs. Dewey's 15-minute Saturday evening program is sponsored by the Baltimore Sun. Subject matter is any interesting Washington happening and, of course, guests are featured.

First, says Nancy, make-up isn't important unless very close close-ups are made. Just to be sure of enough lipstick, otherwise proceed with usual make-up. On her initial studio appearance, the show-before-hers evolved around a bunch of Indians or, rather, ordinary citizens painted redskin fashion.

Newcomer Nancy imitated their coloring, debouched on set looking like Hiawatha, then had considerable trouble mopping off her piquant face.

Flattering and Disconcerting

COLORS, materials are important. Black is too solid, purple's not good. Navy blue and gray photograph best. Satin's too shiny, prints get blurred, while television lights zip through sheer nylons like X-rays, completely denuding the unfortunate wearer. It's fairly hot under light, so sleeveless dresses aren't a happy choice. Lots of hankies come in handy.

Those with sharp features, wide-spaced eyes, look daisy. Blunt features aren't photogenic but, on the whole, television's flattering, somehow doesn't add bulk, as do movies.

Several things disconcert Mrs. Dewey's first-time guests. Instead of looking at each other, participants must look into the lens. There's a projection set, out of camera range but within eyeshot, which depicts the show as it goes along. Three cameras move in and out on dollies. The one topped with flickering red bulb is taking the actual scene. As helper for those who "freeze" before cameras, notes are written big on pads, propped on floor out of range. Rehearsals are run through just before showtime. Nancy Dewey, daughter-in-law of Congressional Watchdog Committee's Charles Dewey, owns one of Georgetown's most delectably furnished houses, wears charming clothes and is sufficiently wide-eyed, sharp-featured to be a television dream.

Senora de Heurtematte Entertains for Artist

A portrait of Senora de Heurtematte by Mrs. M. Robert Guggenheim yesterday was the focal point of conversation at a cocktail party given by the subject for the artist.

Senora de Heurtematte is the beauteous wife of the Commercial Counselor of the Panamanian Embassy. In her portrait she is gowned in black edged in tulle and is seated in a gold chair.

Guests who dropped by yesterday to view the painting included the Ambassador of Ecuador and Senora de Dillon, the Ambassador of Cuba and Senora de Belt, the Ambassador of Panama and Senora de Vallarino, the Ambassador of Costa Rico and Senora de Esquivel, the Minister of Iceland and Mme. Thor Thors, the Charge d' Affaires of Spain and Senora de Baraibar and the French Minister and Mme. Berard.

Lauzins Entertain At Dinner Party

THE French Air Attache, Col. Charles Lauzin, and Mme. Lauzin entertained at a small dinner party last evening for the Egyptian Air Attache, Brig. Gen. Mohamed Bey Khalifa; the First Secretary of the French Embassy and Mme. Benard, the Financial Counselor of the French Embassy and Mme. Valensi, Mme. Gerard and Mr. and Mrs. W. Besteman.

Colonel and Mrs. Schiffeler To Fete Embassy Children

COL. and Mrs. Curt C. Schiffeler have issued invitations to all children of embassy staffs in Washington to a Christmas party to be held in the Queen Elizabeth suite of the Raleigh Hotel today from 4 to 6 p. m. There will be a giant Christmas tree, a Santa Claus to distribute gifts to everyone. Mothers are invited to come also.

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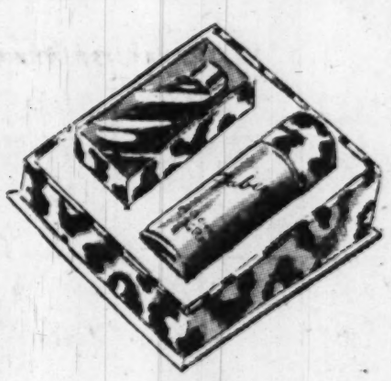

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THE DISTRICT LINE by Bill Gold

Delivery Men Act Like Santa's Helpers

The truck had stopped at the curb, and the two fellows who manned it were sorting out the proper packages for that address.

One of the first bundles earmarked for delivery was somebody's new Christmas sled, and the younger of the two men started toward the house with it.

But when the older man spied some children coming down the street, he hastily summoned his partner back to the van.

They waited until the children had passed, and noted that one little boy went around to the back door.

There was a brief consultation; then one of the delivery men went to the front door and rang the bell.

When the door was answered by a woman, there was a short conversation whose conspiratorial nature was obvious to any passerby.

Then, satisfied that the coast was clear, the truckman sneaked the sled into the front entrance while the little boy was kept busy in the back of the house.

Somebody's Christmas present had been delivered in fitting secrecy. And when the truck drove off, two of the most pleased grins in town were on the faces of the conspirators.

YULETIME SPIRITS

As is their annual custom, husbands and Christmas trees will soon be trimmed and lit up again.

LAST CALL

Remember the days at the end of the war, when servicemen were returning to the States by the million?

Remember our "First Call Home" fund, which paid for the debarking veteran's first telephone call to the home folks?

The Washington Post raised thousands of dollars for this worthwhile purpose, and many a serviceman probably retains vivid memories of that first call home.

We had an echo of those hectic days recently, when our auditors decided to tidy up their books for the new year.

They found $205.71 still left in the fund—and asked what should be done with it.

Col. J. U. Weaver, commandant at Walter Reed Hospital, furnished the answer:

"The boys out here would like to have some electric record players, and a stock of popular records, for use in the wards."

So the check went out in time to assure a cheery Christmas for the lads at Walter Reed. And so ended another of those episodes that make newspaper work fun.

POOR TAMARA

Post Reporter Edward T. Folliard has just received a Christmas card from A. P. Moscow Correspondent Eddy Gilmore and his Russian wife, Tamara.

I hope that Tamara doesn't lose caste with her Russian friends as a result of having been associated with such a decadent western custom.

If the U. S. S. R. has an Un-Russian Activities Committee, it will no doubt investigate the possibility that Mrs. Gilmore has become anti-Communist and un-subversive.

WATCH YOUR STEP

Oh, the ginkgo tree is a sight to see
When its fan-shaped leaves turn yellow.
But the ginkgo pod that your foot has trod
Sheds a fragrance much too mellow.

Dorothy

GIVE-AWAYS

"Two puppies, 6 weeks old: Mama was a collie." (Union 8727 afternoons or evenings).

"Two small puppies, 2 months old; male and female." (Sligo 7408).

MAIL BAG

Dear Bill:

I agree wholeheartedly with your suggestion about carriers putting the paper inside the storm door on rainy days.

However, many householders keep their storm doors locked at night—which gives the boy no choice but to leave the paper on the porch.

So please don't be too hasty in condemning the little fellows who do their best come rain, sleet or snow—and do their work hours before you think of getting up.

Fred L. Mayer
Area Manager No. 51
Circulation Dept.

Dear Fred:

Right. On the whole, those lads do a bang-up job.

They're the last loop in the chain of proficient workmen linking my typewriter with the subscriber's breakfast table, and every one I've ever known (including a 12-year-old relative of my own) has done his level best. Bill

Listen to Bill Gold's "This Is Washington," the District Line on the Air, Monday through Friday, over WTOP, from 10 a. m. to Arthur Godfrey time at 10:30.

Leonard Lyons . . .

NEW YORK.—The Marquis of Milford-Haven, who flies back to dondon today, will return to New York to take an executive post with the Ronson Lighter Co . . . Playwrights Robert E. Sherwood, Elmer Rice and Moss Hart will go to Washington to lobby openly for Federal subsidies to support a national theater.

Ray Bolger, star of "Where's Charley?" completed two dance routines yesterday for the animated electric sign at Duffy Square . . . Chester Erskine, the movie producer, visited a studio where an animal picture was being made. He sat in the office of a studio executive, looked out the window and saw a baboon walking across the studio lot. "Hmm," said Erskine, "Nepotism" . . . The Paramount Building in New York may be bought by the Prudential Life Insurance Co.

Fred Keating phoned Tallulah Bankhead to report: "Since you've had laryngitis people are talking up again, on Broadway" . . . William Langford, who is described by Miss Bankhead as her "Fiance—because although I'll never marry anybody, 'Fiance' sounds so subtle, debutantish and discreet," told the star: "Darling, will you listen to me—at the top of your lungs."

On Sunday mornings a group of over 35 athletes assembles in Central Park to play touch football. They include Clifford Odets, Irwin Shaw, Norman Mailer, John Garfield and some magazine writers. Most of them bring their young sons, who stand on the sidelines, bored and wanting to go home, while their eminent father plead: "Just 5 minutes more, 5 minutes" . . . When Irwin Shaw, author of the best-selling "The Young Lions," was asked how he gets through the Sunday newspapers in time to appear at the game, he replied: "My reading of the Sunday papers is simple—I just look through the book sections to see if I'm No. 1, and then throw 'em away."

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THE SAINT

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YEAH, THINK OF IT! AIN'T CIVILIZATION WONDERFUL?
I ONLY HOPE WE'RE DOING THE RIGHT THING, SAINT. NOW THAT WE'RE GETTING CLOSER TO THE ANSWERS, I'M A LITTLE SCARED OF FINDING OUT TOO MUCH!
DO YOU THINK I'M GOING TO BE SORRY ABOUT THIS?
FRANKLY, I DON'T KNOW ...BUT I DO KNOW THAT NOW YOU'VE STARTED YOU'VE GOT TO FINISH IT.
WELL, HERE WE ARE... FROM SLUSH TO LUSH IN ONLY FOUR HOURS!
THAT'S HIM ALL RIGHT, EDDIE!
MIAMI

MARY WORTH

YOU'RE NOT READING THE LINE RIGHT, LINK!--YOU'VE JUST DISCOVERED THAT THE WHITE GODDESS SPEAKS ENGLISH--SO YOU'D BE OVERJOYED--NOT JUST SURPRISED--!
BUT ANGEL HAD A DIFFERENT INTERPRETATION, BRICK! SHE SAID...
WHO CARES WHAT SHE SAID? I WROTE THIS JUNK, DIDN'T I?
BUT SHE'S AN ACTRESS, OF COURSE...
THE JURY'S STILL OUT ON THAT ONE, MY FRIEND!--THE HUSBAND-HUNTING LITTLE HUSSY DOESN'T NEED TO ACT! SHE ACTUALLY FALLS FOR HER LEADING MAN IN EVERY PICTURE!
HUSBAND-HUNTING?!
THERE'S THE BIBLICAL "FIRST STONE", BRICK!... SUPPOSE YOU PRACTICE CASTING IT!--I'M GOING BACK TO THE SET!
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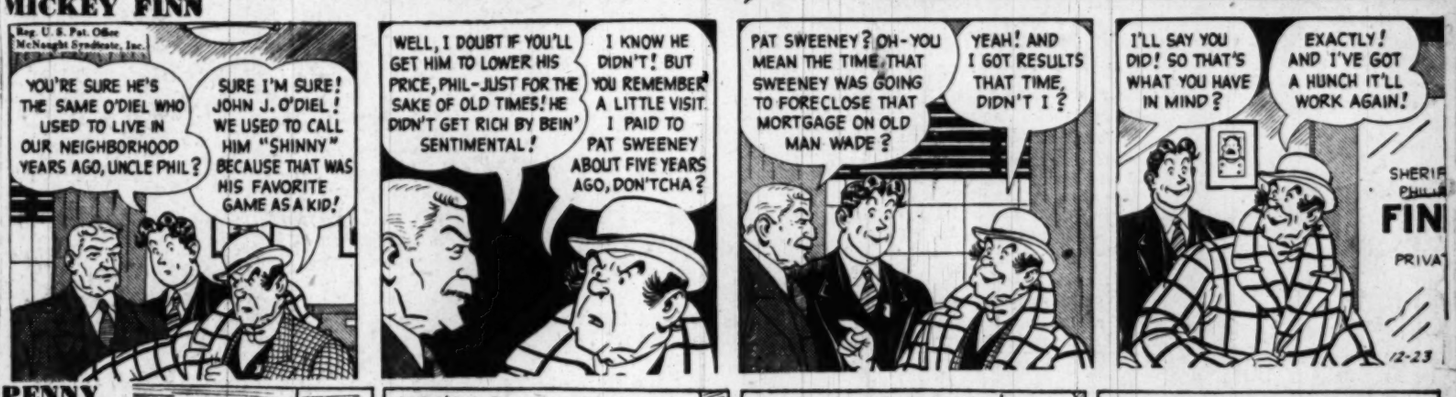
STEVE CANYON

12-23
MAYBE YOU GO TO YOUR HOTEL AN' GET DRESS BEEG, HUH, REEDKEED? WE GO DANCE HIGH TONIGHT!
OH, BOY! THAT'S FOR ME, CHEETAH!
BREENG PASSPORT TONIGHT, BABEE—MAYBE SOMEBODY THEENK YOU BEEG MOVIE STAR—YOU MUS' PROVE YOU REEDKEED KEEMBERLY EEN PERSON!
I'LL BE HERE!
WELL, CHEETAH, I GAVE YOU ROOM TO USE—EEN SPITE OF POLICE BE-EENG AFTER YOU—UNTEEL YOU GET YANKEE MONEY! HOW YOU DOEENG?
GEEVE ME A LEETLE MORE TIME—YOU GREEDY WEETCH!
MILTON CANIFF
MEANWHILE—AT REED'S HOTEL...
A MESSAGE CAME FOR YOU, MISTER KIMBERLY!

JOE PALOOKA

I GOTTA LOIN YA ME FAMOUS JAB... YER CLUMSY. LOOK!
WHEW PUFF YA GOT IT?.. YA LOINT ANYTHING? WHEW
I HOPE SO.
OKAY... TRY AN' HIT ME... I'LL JIST DUCK... C'MON... I BETCHA YA DON'T COME NEAR... I'M KNOWED FER ME FLASHY BOBBIN' AN' WEAVIN'...
AWRIGHT. KIN WE EAT THEN? I'M SHORE HONGRY!
12-23
FISHER

MICKEY FINN


YOU'RE SURE HE'S THE SAME O'DIEL WHO USED TO LIVE IN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD YEARS AGO, UNCLE PHIL?
SURE I'M SURE! JOHN J. O'DIEL! WE USED TO CALL HIM "SHINNY" BECAUSE THAT WAS HIS FAVORITE GAME AS A KID!
WELL, I DOUBT IF YOU'LL GET HIM TO LOWER HIS PRICE, PHIL--JUST FOR THE SAKE OF OLD TIMES! HE DIDN'T GET RICH BY BEIN' SENTIMENTAL!
I KNOW HE DIDN'T! BUT YOU REMEMBER A LITTLE VISIT I PAID TO PAT SWEENEY ABOUT FIVE YEARS AGO, DON'TCHA?
PAT SWEENEY? OH--YOU MEAN THE TIME THAT SWEENEY WAS GOING TO FORECLOSE THAT MORTGAGE ON OLD MAN WADE?
YEAH! AND I GOT RESULTS THAT TIME, DIDN'T I?
I'LL SAY YOU DID! SO THAT'S WHAT YOU HAVE IN MIND?
EXACTLY! AND I'VE GOT A HUNCH IT'LL WORK AGAIN!
SHERIF
FIN
PRIVA
12-23

PENNY

WE'RE SUPPOSED TO BE CIVILIZED, BUT I OFTEN WONDER.
HERE'S A BACKWOODS SCHOOL WHERE TWO FOURTH GRADE BOYS THREW THEIR PRINCIPAL IN THE RIVER.
12-23
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FOURTH GRADE, MIND YOU! ISN'T THAT SIMPLY AWFUL?
GEE, MOTHER, I'LL SAY...
HAENIGSEN
IT MUST HAVE BEEN A TERRIBLE STRAIN ON THEIR UNDEVELOPED PHYSIQUES.

DUFFY

CONNIE, WE'RE BACK! DID YOU HAVE ANY SITTER TROUBLE?
NO TROUBLE WITH THE CHILDREN, MR. D--
BUT FOUR LIGHTS WENT OUT ON THE CHRISTMAS TREE-- AND I REPLACED THEM!!
12-23
THAT'S GOOD-- NOW, HERE'S YOUR $1.25 FOR SITTING--
THANKS-- BUT I WONDER ABOUT THE WORK ON THE XMAS TREE LIGHTS--?
--MAYBE I SHOULD CHARGE EXTRA FOR SAVING YOU THE PRICE OF AN ELECTRICIAN!
BUFORD TUNE

MARK TRAIL

IT'S WONDERFUL TO BE HOME FOR CHRISTMAS, MARK!
RIGHT!.. HEY...
..."WOODS AND WILD-LIFE" SENT ME $500 FOR THE BOAR PICTURES!
ED DODD 12-23
THAT'LL TAKE CARE OF CHRISTMAS... I HAVE SOME SPECIAL SHOPPING TO DO THIS YEAR!
GOOD... WE'LL GO TO TOWN EARLY TOMORROW!

REX MORGAN, M. D.

YOU'RE TOO SICK TO LEAVE THE HOSPITAL YET, MISS FORREST!
NOT HALF AS SICK AS I'D BE IF I STAYED, DR. DAVIS!
BUT THERE ARE SEVERAL LABORATORY STUDIES I WANT TAKEN ON YOU BEFORE YOU'RE DISCHARGED!...AND I WANT DR. MORGAN TO CHECK YOU AGAIN!
THERE'S NOTHING I'D LIKE BETTER, DR. DAVIS!... MAYBE SOME OTHER TIME!
PUT THROUGH MISS FORREST'S DISCHARGE, DR. DAVIS! WE NEED THESE HOSPITAL BEDS FOR PATIENTS!

TERRY AND THE PIRATES

12/23
GOOOH! WHY'D OL' CHOPS BUY INTO A RISKY CAPER LIKE THIS? FIGURED THE KID WOULD NEED HELP TO PUT IT OVER— BUT IF ANYTHING SNAFUS...
AND AT THE GARRISON SUPPLY DEPOT...
HERE ARE THE ITEMS THE HONORABLE MAYOR'S SON WISHED TO BORROW... GO QUICKLY, NOW, BEFORE THIS IRREGULARITY IS NOTED.
WON'T FORGET YOU FOR THIS, CORP, OL' BOY.
LATER
LET'S GO, BLUBBER-BUMPER. WE'RE SET TO PUT ON THE SNAPPIEST DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS THIS TANK TOWN EVER SAW.

STEVE ROPER

SPOTSHOT BUILDING! IN A GALLOP!
TAXI
HE CAN'T DRIVE FAST ENOUGH TO GET YOU THERE ALIVE, ROPER!
As Steve opens the door, the cord on the handle pulls the cork from the hidden bottle! Deadly fumes pour into the cab!
MR. ROPER! WAIT! YOU FAILED TO SIGN THE MINUTES OF OUR MEETING!
HOLD IT, MAC! I'LL BE RIGHT OUT!
BUT SUDDENLY!
TAXI
WHAT'S WRONG HERE?
HACKIE OVERCOME BY POISON GAS---GOOD THING THE DOOR WAS LEFT OPEN! HE'D NEVER HAVE LIVED TO CLOCK ANOTHER MILE!
AND 3 MINUTES LATER!

DIXIE DUGAN

WHUT'S SO FUNNY, CLETE?
HAW-HAW-HAW— THIS SHIVERIN' LI'L SHOAT TALKS BIG TALK—CALLS HISSELF A MAN— HAW-HAW-HAW
T-THAT GOES FOR YOU, TOO! YOU'RE ALL YELLOW —YOU NEED A GUN TO PROTECT YOU—
SEE THAT FIST?? NOW SWALLOW THEM WORDS?— SWALLOW!

MYRTLE

MOM MAKES ME STAND IN THE CORNER SO MUCH I'M GETTING PIGEON-TOED!
THTAY RIGHT THERE, MYRTLE! I WANT TO THEE ABOUT THOMETHING!
?
I JUTHT WANTED TO THEE IF GETTING THPANKED THO MUCH WAS DOING ANYTHING TO ME!

OZARK IKE

HAW!—THEM BEARDED McBATTS'LL NEVUH FLAG OUR FLYIN' HUDDLE!
HOTTEST KICKOFF RETURN PLAY SINCE TH' FLYIN' WEDGE!
(GROAN) ONLY DAYLIGHT BETWIXT THEM FATFIELDS AN' VICTORY!
NOTHIN' KIN STOP 'EM NOW 'CEPT THREE LI'L WORDS! ...HOPE THEY WORK!

DONALD DUCK

WINNIE WINKLE

WELL, HERE ARE ALL THE ORNAMENTS--- YOU'D BETTER START ON THAT TREE!
HUMPH!
DO YOU EXPECT ME TO DO A DECENT JOB ON A MESS OF TWIGS LIKE THAT?
WELL, DEAR, DO THE BEST YOU CAN FOR THE CHILDREN'S SAKE!
ALL RIGHT, BUT I'VE GOT LOTS OF TIME.. EEVAAAW
WELL, SMARTY, HERE'S WHERE I SHOW YOU A THING OR TWO!

Barnaby

So, it's scientifically impossible for him to have become non-existent—
Your deduction simplifies things.
But—
But, Jane, we SAW Mr. O'Malley, my Fairy Godfather disappear. And—
Barnaby! Look!
Mr. O'Malley!
Hello, m'boy—

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Country Shows Deflation Signs

By Drew Pearson

President Truman's Council of Economic Advisers is keeping it very quiet, but they are now studying an antideflation program as well as an anti-inflation program.

Pearson

The President's advisers have been bombarded during the past four weeks with confidential memoranda revealing that business is down in many parts of the country. Department stores in some areas report business off as much as 18 per cent. The appliance industry also complains that the demand for radios, refrigerators, electric ranges, vacuum cleaners and other products has slumped.

Layoffs have been growing and employment has dipped below the 60-million mark for the first time in close to a year. This, of course, is still an extremely high figure and one we never expected to attain before the war.

The council also has memoranda that show that savings in the lower income brackets have been nearly wiped out by higher prices. In 1946, 63 per cent of America's families owned United States saving bonds. This year only 48 per cent of the families own bonds.

This is why some members of the Economic Council believe a deflationaly spiral may be under way and a recession actually here. As a result, they are taking an entirely fresh look at the whole economic picture before drafting the report on which President Truman will base his State of the Union address.

Note—The big question the council has been unable to get an answer to is: How much money will the military men in the Pentagon need next year? If the Pentagon is held to the 15-billion-dollar limit President Truman has set, then, council members feel, the deflationary spiral may continue. But if the brass hats succeed in jacking up the budget several billion dollars, the council believes inflation will still be a danger.

Berlin Unemployment Grows—General Clay is worried over the fact that the airlift has been unable to keep Berlin industry active. Unemployment due to lack of coal is growing. Clay's advisers predict half a million unemployed by February. Meanwhile the Russians have a whole crew of agents ready to move into western Berlin and stir up food and coal riots when the weather gets really bad.

Rural Electrification Shutout—Rampageous Senator Langer of North Dakota has called 17 leading manufacturers on the carpet to explain why Rural Electrification Administration cooperatives aren't getting enough electrical equipment. The companies called to Washington for hearings December 28 include: General Electric, Westinghouse, the Aluminum Corp., Anaconda and Phelps-Dodge. Langer charges that these firms have been delivering scarce equipment to private power companies while cold-shouldering REA co-ops.

Polish Purge—American intelligence has reported to the Army Department that a big purge of the Communist Party is going on in Poland on direct orders from Moscow. More than 20,000 Polish Communists already have been kicked out of the party on the suspicion they might not be 100 per cent loyal in case of war with the United States

Mrs. Dixiecrat—While Governor Talmadge of Georgia plots new ways to prevent Negroes from voting, a group of whites and Negroes gathered in the small town of Due West, S. C., to honor the town's No. 1 citizen—Dr. W. L. Pressly, recently named "Family Doctor of the Year." One distinguished guest was gracious Mrs. Strom Thurmond, wife of the Dixiecrat candidate for President, who sat on the platform not far from a Negro preacher, the Rev. Naggie Voss. Of the 400 people admitted to the small hall to pay honor to Dr. Pressly, who has administered to Negro patients as well as white, 150 were Negroes.

Diplomatic Pouch

Ambassador Bedell Smith will return from Moscow in about three weeks—probably for the last time . . . There are some very red faces among officials of the International Bank. Last month they lent half a million dollars each to the supposedly peaceful countries of Costa Rica and Nicaragua. Now it appears that some of this money is being used to finance war and revolution—at least in Nicaragua . . . United States Ambassador Caffrey in Paris has cabled an interesting prediction to the State Department. He predicts that General De Gaulle will come to power—"legally or illegally"—by May 15. (That's the Ambassador's prediction, not mine.)

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By James J. Metcalfe

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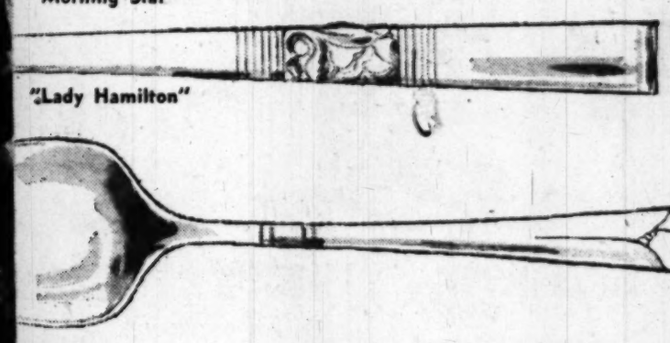

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